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TALK

by Congressman
Butler Ames.

No Action During
Present Season of
Congress.

REPUBLICANS

Together on the Is-
land Put Themselves
on Record.

Lodge Today Intro-
duces a Bill Covering
Child Labor.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Congressman
Ames, of Massachusetts, has be-
gan his campaign for an immediate
action in the interest of tariff re-
forms. He is not undertaking
action at the present session
but is urging upon the
members the advisability
of giving concrete
expression to their determination
to revise the inequalities
of our tariff laws so that all
the country at large
shall be as to the time of the

gan Schuster Named.

ident today sent to the

following nomination:

of the Philippine commis-

Secretary of public instruc-

Philippine Island W. Mor-

Democratic Choice.

today ratified the action

caucuses of last night and

rolls Paul D. Porter, of

to succeed the late Col.

a special officer of the

fect the Children.

odge today introduced

to prevent the employ-

ment of labor by prohibiting

commerce in any article in

which a child under

age has been employed.

hibition extends to children

of age who cannot read.

The violation of the law

is punishable by

and imprisonment for one

year.

prove of Metcalf.

committee on naval af-

ordered a favorable report

on the nomination of Victor H.

California, to be secretary of

ere Was Foraker?

ate today the senate post-

tomorrow the considera-

resolutions calling for in-

the discharge of

troops of the 25th infantry

stationed at Brownsville.

A delay was caused by the

in the city of Senator Pen-

osevelt Merciful.

ident has commuted to

onment the sentence of

upon Arthur Adams

Sawyer, negro members

of the Schooner Henry A.

who were convicted of mu-

der aboard that vessel

ago.

Special Message.

ident today sent a special

to congress urging legis-

the executive authority up-

to officer whom he thinks un-

remain in the service. The

sent provides that in time

HON. HENRY WHITE WILL GO TO PARIS.

By Associated Press.
Washington, Dec. 5.—Hon Henry
White, American ambassador will be
transferred in the near future from
that post to Paris, where he will suc-
ceed Hon. Robert S. McCormick as
ambassador. Mr. White will be suc-
ceeded at Rome by Hon. Lloyd I.
Grisol, now ambassador to Brazil.
Mr. White is now in Washington.

HAVE LOTS OF FUN LAYING PIPE LINE.

By Associated Press.
Washington, Pa., Dec. 5.—As the
result of information made by James
King, a wealthy farmer, 48 men em-
ployed by the Southwest Pennsylvania
Pipe Line company, who were engaged
in laying an oil line across King's
farm in Charter township, were ar-
rested late last night and held in \$500
bail each for the action of the grand
jury. Bond was furnished by the com-
pany. While the men were working
on King's farm, he fired two charges
of buck shot at them, none of the men
being injured, however. King was al-
so arrested on complaint of the men
and furnished \$500 bail for a grand
jury hearing.
It is said the oil line is being in-
stalled without King's permission.

OTHER INQUIRERS WILL TAKE NOTICE.

By Associated Press.
Washington, Dec. 5.—When asked
by the Associated Press today for an
expression apropos to the decision of
his possible candidacy next year for
the governorship of Kentucky, Justice
Bryan, of the supreme court, prompt-
ly answered that he "had no such
thought, or any purpose to in any form
engage in a political contest at any
time or in any way."

BIG INCREASE SOON

This Time Chicago Will
Realize the Greatest
Benefit.

HALF A MILLION MEN

Soon to Obtain Raise Which
Will Total About
\$30,000,000.

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Dec. 5.—The Tribune says:
The railways of Chicago contem-
plate making increases in the wages
of their employees which in the aggre-
gate will make all the increases made
in the country on the railroad seem
small by comparison.

Advances are expected to be given
between now and January 1, which
make the combined incomes of the
150,000 employees of these lines from
\$25,000,000 to \$30,000,000 greater in
1907 than in 1906.

The only thing that may prevent the
proposed advances between now and
the end of the year is inability of the
roads and their men to reach an am-
icable agreement. The engineers, con-
ductors, firemen, brakemen and other
trainmen have asked both for 10 per
cent advances and for an 8 hour day.

Railway officials indicate that they
are willing to give the 10 per cent in-
crease but that they are not willing to
grant the demand for an 8 hour day
and their present disposition is to with-
hold the wage advance until the 8
hour day demand is withdrawn. They
believe the trainmen will yield after
the 8 hour day refusal is explained to
them.

HARD TIME SAVING BARK IN DISTRESS.

By Associated Press.
Chatham, Mass., Dec. 5.—The un-
known bark which was flying signals
of distress off Monomoy Point yes-
terday, appeared today to have gone
ashore on Great Round Shoals. She
is still flying distress signals.
Captain Kelley, of the Monomoy
Life station started out with his crew
during the forenoon, to row to the
vessel, which was about six miles
south by east of the Point. At about
the same time the revenue cutter
Gresham was sighted passing Mono-
moy Point headed for the barkentine.

RUSSIANS HOPE HE WILL NEBOGATOFF.

By Associated Press.
St. Petersburg, Dec. 5.—The trial of
Rear Admiral Nebogatoff, and seventy-
eight officers of his squadron for sur-
rendering to the Japanese at the bat-
tle of the Sea of Japan, May 28th,
1905, began before a special court-
martial this morning.

PER CENT CLASS.

By Associated Press.
New York, Dec. 5.—The directors of
the New York Central and Hudson
River railroad today declared a quar-
terly dividend of 1 1/2 per cent. This
company's stock on a six
dividend basis.

WEAK MINDED

Mrs. Burdson's Rela-
tives Think Her.

Trial on Murder Charge
Was Started This
Morning.

IN HAZELHURST, MISS.

Her Character Was Slander-
ed and Her Mind Was
Wrecked.

Coolly Waited For Her Vic-
tim and Shot Him
Five Times.

By Associated Press.

Hazelhurst, Miss., Dec. 5.—The
trial of Mrs. Annie Burdson, on a
charge of murder, began here today.
Mrs. Burdson belongs to one of the
most prominent families in Missis-
sippi. She is about 22 years of age.

Mrs. Burdson, on November 25th,
1905, shot and killed Dr. T. H. But-
ler, a nephew of former Governor
Longino, of Mississippi. The shoot-
ing occurred in Dr. Butler's office,
Monticello, Miss., where Mrs. Burd-
son resided. The young woman
went to the office, waited until a pa-
tient had completed an interview
with the physician and then entering
Dr. Butler's private office, fired five
shots. Going to the street she re-
marked to a gathering crowd that
they would find the result of her
work up stairs. She then surren-
dered herself to the sheriff. Although
admitting the shooting she has not
yet let her line of defense become public.

A few days before the shooting
Mrs. Burdson attempted suicide. At
her preliminary hearing her brother-
in-law testified that the prisoner had
suffered severe mental disturbances
about the slandering of her char-
acter.

THREE SCORE

Lives Reported Lost In
Big Flood.

Which Swept Down the Nar-
row Gorge of Chase
Creek.

RAILROAD ADVICES

Tell of the Destruction of
Many of the Business
Buildings.

Also Wrecking the Smelting
Plant of Arizona Cop-
per Company.

By Associated Press.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 5.—A special to
the News from Phoenix, Ariz., says:
Private railroad dispatches received
here say that sixty lives were lost at
Clifton yesterday in the great flood
that swept through the camp, destroy-
ing many business buildings, wrecking
the smelting plant of the Arizona Cop-
per company and tearing out miles of
track of the Arizona Mining company's
road.

Clifton is situated in a narrow val-
ley near the eastern line of Arizona.
The loss of property of the inhabitants
live in Chase creek canon, a very dan-
gerous place in case of high waters.
Two years ago 12 lives were lost in
the canon and immense damage was
done by the rise in the San Francisco
River.

DEADLY GAS FUMES KILL AGED COUPLE.

By Associated Press.
East Pittsburgh, Dec. 4.—Geo. Miller
and his wife, an aged couple in the ser-
vice of Dr. F. X. Straesser, of 621
Washington street, Allegheny, were
found dead today in a room over the
physician's stable, having been asphyx-
iated by natural gas.

AMBASSADOR REID REACHES AMERICA.

By Associated Press.
London, Dec. 5.—Ambassador White-
law Reid and Mrs. Reid were passen-
gers on the North German Lloyd
steamer Crown Prince Wilhelm, which
sailed from Southampton today for
New York, where they will spend
Christmas. John R. Carter, secretary
of the American embassy will act as
charge d' affaires during Mr. Reid's
absence.

Craig R. Wadsworth, second secre-
tary of the embassy, sailed for New
York today from Liverpool on the
White Star line steamer, Baltic.

MONEY IN SYSTEM CRIPPLED MULE.

By Associated Press.
Pittsburg, Dec. 5.—A silver half dol-
lar bearing the date of 1904 was found
in the left shoulder of a mule that
was operated on by a veterinary sur-
geon yesterday, according to a special
from Cumberland, Md. The mule had
been lame for several days and an
examination revealed a large lump on
the shoulder. After the removal of the
coin the lameness disappeared. The
surgeon expressed the opinion that
the coin was swallowed with food.

NOBODY WAS KILLED

But the List of Those Injur-
ed is Plenty Large
Enough.

WRECK ON THE MONON

Limited Train Running Be-
tween Cleveland and
Chicago.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Train No. 36 on
the Monon road, which is the fast
limited on that line between Cincin-
nati and Chicago, was derailed early
today two miles north of Frankfort,
Ind., by a broken rail. Eighteen pas-
sengers out of a total of 175 on the
train were injured but nobody was
killed. It is not believed that any of
the injured will die.

The train was going at a high rate
of speed and the rail broke beneath
the engine, which, however, passed
the place in safety. All of the bag-
gage and mail cars, coaches and
sleepers left the track and some of
them were badly damaged. There is
no embankment at the scene of the
accident and the cars merely plowed
their way along the ground at the
side of the track for a considerable
distance before being brought to a
stop. The injuries of the passengers
are bruises and cuts from being tossed
about the car.

The passengers more seriously in-
jured were:
Frank Kelly, Frankfort, Ind., in-
jured internally.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cromwell,
Frankfort, Ind., cut and bruised.
M. L. Davis, Frankfort, Ind., wrist
broken.

David M. Abbott, Manson, Ind.,
bruised and cut about the head.
John Wilcox, Hamilton, ribs bro-
ken and otherwise injured internally,
may die.

Samuel E. Murray, Ford, Ohio,
hurt about the head, seriously.
E. B. Garber, Hamilton, O., ribs
broken and hurt internally, in a seri-
ous condition.

Frank Coulter, Frankfort, Ind.,
head and hands cut.
Thomas McDaniel, Frankfort, Ind.,
shoulder dislocated.

Sam Brown, Greengrassville, Ind.,
face cut and hand broken.
James W. Boyle, Kilmore, Ind.,
face cut and badly bruised.

Wm. Kenyon, Frankfort, Ind.,
shoulder broken.
Geo. Cullom, Frankfort, Ind., face
and hands cut.

Miss Mary Miner, Sedalia, cut and
bruised.
There were other passengers who
received slight injuries.

DRAINAGE FOLKS AT OKLAHOMA CITY.

By Associated Press.
Oklahoma City, Dec. 5.—The na-
tional drainage convention began a
three day's session here today with
many irrigation and drainage experts
present from various parts of the
country.
Geo. A. Ralph, Washington, D. C.,
engineer reclamation service was
among today's arrivals.

Governor Frantz and H. A. Mc-
Cowan, president of the Oklahoma
Irrigation Association, delivered the
welcoming address, after which the
organization was effected and com-
mittees appointed.

HE RAN AMUCK

Drunken Finn Looks for
Trouble

Finds it in the Form of a
Revolver Bullet in His
Heart.

MANY STABBED FIRST

He Also Had Target Prac-
tice On Several Other
Citizens.

Finally Comes in Contact
With a Policeman Who
Ends it.

By Associated Press.

Ashtabula, Ohio, Dec. 5.—John
Kekjampaa, a Finn, while crazy drunk,
late last night, ran amuck, armed with
a revolver and a knife, attacking
nearly every one he met, with the re-
sult that five men were more or less
seriously injured and Kekjampaa lies
dead at the morgue.

Kekjampaa was a laborer on the
docks at Ashtabula harbor. He first
entered a confectionary store on Oak
street and shot John Herlevy in the
neck. A few minutes later he shot
Otto Mackey in the neck causing a
serious wound.

The drunken man rushed out of the
store and shot twice at Earl Tupper
who was driving by in a delivery
wagon. Entering Alexander Rowe-
man's saloon he slashed right and left
with a knife and stabbed Matt Hau-
kulinen in the shoulder and Oscar
Koshing also in the arm.

Policeman John Hummer took a
hand in the affray at this time and he
and Kekjampaa had a hand to hand
fight. The drunken man was getting
the better of the officer, when the
policeman drew his revolver and end-
ed the encounter by sending a ball
through his antagonist's heart.

REMAND HABIT

Experienced by Suspect
Karl Hau.

Has Another Week Before
Him in Bow Street
Prison, London.

HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW

Was Murdered in Baden.
Baden and He is Natur-
ally Accused.

German Authorities Neglect
to Obtain Proof of Cause
of Her Death.

By Associated Press.

London, Dec. 5.—Karl Hau, the
Washington professor, who has been
under arrest here since November 7,
charged with the murder of Frau Mor-
timer, his mother-in-law, at Baden-
Baden, again appeared on remand in
the Bow street police court today.

The prisoner, who has fully recover-
ed his health, was remanded for an-
other week in order to enable the Ger-
man representatives to obtain further
evidence. The magistrate said the evi-
dence already here was sufficient to
warrant Hau's extradition but to make
the case complete it was necessary to
have proof of the cause of the death
of Frau Mortimer, which the German
authorities had omitted to obtain. Hau
although laboring under a great men-
tal strain, which has entirely changed
his appearance, was quite calm dur-
ing the brief proceedings and at the
close when asked by his counsel
whether he understood what had oc-
curred, he replied affirmatively.

ASK MAYOR DUNNE TO PUT THE LID ON.

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Dec. 5.—Members of the
Chicago Christian Endeavor Union rep-
resenting 300 church societies of all
denominations, went on record last
night in favor of compelling Mayor
Dunne to close the saloons on Sunday.
At a meeting of the union, a strong
resolution was adopted urging the
mayor to begin the immediate enforce-
ment of the Sunday law. The recent
conviction of a saloon-keeper for sell-
ing liquor on Sunday was cited as
proof that the law can be enforced
when the violators are prosecuted and
the 15,000 members of the union in
Chicago demand that all saloons and
other places of vice be closed on Sun-
days.

FOUR MEN INJURED IN FREIGHT WRECK.

By Associated Press.
Pittsburg, Dec. 5.—Four men were
seriously injured two fatally early to-
day in a freight train collision on the
Monongahela and Washington divi-
sion of the Pittsburg, Virginia and
Charleston railway at Stockdale, a
town a few miles east of here. The
trains collided at a water tank where
one had stopped for water.

FREE LUNATICS CAUSE ANXIETY.

By Associated Press.
Clarksville, W. Va., Dec. 5.—Three
patients escaped from the state hospi-
tal for the insane at Weston last
night, and are believed to be in hiding
near the city. They are said to be
dangerous and violent and much an-
xiety is manifested. Bloodhounds were
put on the trail shortly after the es-
cape, followed the scent to this place,
where it was lost. Several groups of
officers are searching for the fugitives.

FREE FOR ALL FIGHT

Brings Beauty Contest to a
Sudden and Unexpect-
ed Close.

TWO SOCIAL LIONS

Get Peevish When Told
They Were Good Only
While Money Lasted.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Pa., Dec. 5.—East Fin-
ley township, ten miles from here is
in a turmoil over a free for all fight
in the district school during a beauty
contest and as a result many resi-
dents are carrying bruises. The trou-
ble was started when Samuel Teegar-
den and John Sampson, who were
buying votes for the leading contest-
ants in the beauty contest were in-
formed that they were \$3 in arrears in
the payment of their votes and all
votes cast after their money had be-
come exhausted would be thrown.
Teegarden and Sampson are said to
have resented this action and endeav-
ored to destroy the ballot box. A gen-
eral fight followed in which the lights
in the school house were put out.
Many girls and women were trampled
upon, but none were seriously injured.
Warrants have been issued for the
arrest of all involved in the fight.

TROUBLESOME DRINKS.

By Associated Press.
Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 5.—Replying
to questions regarding a reported
anti-Japanese outbreak at the Alder
mill, 35 miles south of Tacoma, Man-
ager Chester, who came into town
last night, said today, that there was
a little trouble there Sunday and
Monday caused by a few hangers-on
at a saloon, who would not work
and who assaulted two Japanese lab-
orers in an endeavor to drive the
Japanese away.

COLLECTOR MISSING.

By Associated Press.
Kansas City, Dec. 5.—William C.
Anderson, collection taker of the
First National Bank of this city is
missing and E. F. Swinney, the presi-
dent admitted this morning that An-
derson was short \$9,000 in his ac-
counts.

HE WAS JEALOUS.

By Associated Press.
Springfield, Mo., Dec. 5.—Garland
Moore, a mail carrier, who last night
at Bois D'Arc, ten miles northwest of
Springfield, shot and killed Miss Clara
West, a member of one of the wealth-
iest families in Green county, be-
cause she refused to marry him, sur-
rendered to the sheriff here today.
He said he killed the girl in a fit of
jealous rage.

YELLOW PERIL

Not So Dangerous From
Without

But From Within the Bord-
ers of the United States
of America.

TO TEST LEGALITY

Of State Statute Providing
For Separate Mongol-
ian Schools.

Interesting Situation in
Roosevelt vs. California
Squable.

By Associated Press.

San Francisco, Dec. 5.—Under di-
rect orders from Washington, the rep-
resentatives of the department of jus-
tice in California have been instructed
to begin an action in the courts to
test the legality of the state statute
which provides that children of Mon-
golian descent shall attend a separate
school.

President Almon of the board of
education, yesterday received a com-
munication from U. S. Attorney Dev-
lin requesting a conference in order
that arrangements might be made to
institute a suit. This conference will
be held at the rooms of the board this
afternoon.

When the attention of President
Almon was called to that portion of
the president's message referring to
the Japanese school question he said
that the utterances of the president on
that question would have no effect on
the action of the board.

"We have simply put into effect a
law passed by the law making body of
this state," he said. "Individually and
collectively each and every member
of the board believes that it is a good
law. We will not recede from the
position which we have taken and be-
lieve that our action will be sustained
by public sentiment throughout the
states, even if the courts should de-
clare it to be unconstitutional or a
violation of treaty rights."

POPULAR TRIAL OF CORNELIUS SHEA.

By Associated Press.
Chicago, Dec. 5.—The court in which
the trial of Cornelius P. Shea, on
charges of conspiracy in connection
with the teamsters' strike of 1905, is
being conducted, was almost stormed
today by a crowd of men eager to hear
the evidence. A special detail of po-
lice was necessary to control the
throng.

POOR LITTLE BONI GETS STUNG AGAIN.

By Associated Press.
Paris, Dec. 5.—The reply of Maitre
Cruppi counsel for Count Boni De
Castellane and the former countess in
the suit of their creditors, consumed
the entire session of the tribunal of
first instance of the Seine today. M.
Cruppi described how the tradesmen's
and usurers bills had been cleverly
mixed up and reiterated the perfect
willingness of Madame Anna Gould to
settle the legitimate bills, although a
delay was necessary as there were no
funds from the trustee of the estate at
her disposal at present. Counsel
argued that it was unjust and illegal
to attempt to make Madame Gould re-
sponsible for the enormous sums bor-
rowed by Count Boni to meet his
"mad extravagances and princely
prodigality."

EIGHT ARE BURNED FOUR SERIOUSLY.

By Associated Press.
Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 5.—In a
fire that started from an explosion of
thousands of paper matches at the
factory of F. A. Rathbun and Com-
pany, West Indianapolis, today, eight
young women were hurt, four of them
seriously. The others were painfully
burned and injured in their frantic
efforts to escape from the building.

Most seriously hurt are Helen
Stapp, Lizzie Richards, Lulu Brood-
love and Anna Reese. They were
burned and they were also injured by
jumping from a second story win-
dow. The forewoman of the factory
rushed to the telephone and while she
was calling the fire department some
of the girls busied themselves in
smothering the fire which had set
fire to her clothes.

LIFE CRUSHED

Out Between Bumpers in Erie Yards,

Was the Fate of Charles Bixley, Erie Brakeman, Yesterday Afternoon.

WAS JUST A NEW MAN

In the Service of the Erie Road Known as an Extra Trainman.

Foresters Elect Officers, Personal Notes and Items From South Lima.

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, another fatality occurred in this city, in which a young railroad man lost his life.

What is known as the "nigger local," west-bound, on the Erie, had pulled into the local yards and the crew was engaged in switching off a few cars marked "Lima," when, at a point just east of the Main street crossing, Charles E. Bixley, a brakeman, stepped between two cars to make a coupling, and as the engine backed, was caught between the bumpers and crushed, death ensuing almost instantly.

Fortunately young Bixley's body was not mangled, as a witness to the accident dragged him from between

the cars as soon as the engineer had backed up the "stack." In the train, thus backing, the victim from falling on the unfortunate young man were taken to the local yards. The young man, their morgue and prepared to await was caught in such a manner as to compress his sides at the hips, and his back was broken.

The victim's home was in Decatur, Indiana, and he had only been in the service of the Erie road since the first of October and was known as an extra brakeman. He was born in Geneva, Indiana, and was 22 years old last January, was about 5 feet 10 inches tall, smooth face, dark complexioned, and weighed about 165 pounds, a fine looking man, and it is said, a favorite in the social set of his home town and among his acquaintances.

Scott Bixley, the young man's father, arrived in this city last night at 11:05 from Decatur, and at once made preparations to ship the remains of his son to Decatur, and they were taken home on the morning train which left here at 8:45 this morning, where funeral arrangements will be completed.

After the deplorable accident, D. H. Terfingler, conductor in charge of the local, gave what information he could concerning the unfortunate man, and a message was forwarded to his parents apprising them of the accident, before continuing westward with his train.

Left to mourn the young man's untimely death are the father and mother, one brother, William Bixley, a clerk in a drug store in Decatur, and one sister, Mrs. Cora Nessley, of Lancaster, Ohio.

At the time of the accident, two ambulances were summoned, and as they raced southward, no small amount of excitement prevailed along south Main street, and from Kibby street south the excitement was more intense, as Chief Coates, who was over at the south side hose house, and hearing the clanging of the bells on the approaching ambulances, climbed into his buggy and joined the ambulance in the lead at Kibby Corners.

The Williams & Davis ambulance

was the first to arrive at the Erie crossing, and the remains of the unfortunate young man were taken to the local yards. The young man, their morgue and prepared to await was caught in such a manner as to compress his sides at the hips, and his back was broken.

Oddfellows Notice.
Solar lodge of Oddfellows will have an initiation in the second degree, this evening, followed by the election of officers, and every member is urged to be present.

Foresters Elect Officers.
Last evening, in Solar hall, Court Lima 560 I. O. F. elected officers and enjoyed a social session, during which refreshments were served. The meeting was largely attended. The following officers were elected:
Court Deputy—E. Davis.
Court Physician—E. G. Burton.
Chief Ranger—L. S. Gilmore.
Vice Chief Ranger—Ed. Reel.
Recording Secretary—A. J. Fisher.
Financial Secretary—F. L. Houtzer.
Treasurer—T. M. Harper.
Orator—A. J. Wheelbarger.
Organist—C. H. Bogardus.
Senior Woodward—C. F. Doll.
Junior Woodward—Ralph Lusk.
Senior Beadle—K. P. Cleveland.
Junior Beadle—F. O. Cheney.
Trustees—K. P. Cleveland and J. H. Beard.
Finance Committee—Ed. Reel and George Crooksey.

Court Lima has organized a debating society, and on next Tuesday evening the initial debate will take place, the subject to be discussed will be announced later.

Brief Mentions.
At the noon hour today, Miss Hazel Morrison, accompanied to Chicago by her father, J. H. M. Morrison, started for Cumberland, Wyoming, where she has accepted a position as a teacher of music in the public schools.

To take a position in a railway office in Kansas City, Fred Garretson left this city yesterday.

Fine line of Christmas toys, the largest line ever carried in south Lima, at The Gilmore Hardware Co., 686 south Main street. Store open evenings.

Miss Ida Rotroff, of south Central avenue, has recovered from a siege of mumps.

This morning, as two traveling men were standing at Kibby Corners, in the rain, awaiting a car to convey them to the Erie depot, a city dump cart was driven up and stopped directly in front of them, on the crossing, just as a car approached—and it was necessary for the men to walk out into the mud in order to catch the car. A free-for-all discussion on the topic of "Poor Judgment" took place on the disappearing car, which it might have been well for the dump-cart man to have heard.

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Victor Primmer, who has been at the bedside of his sister, Miss Vestal, left this morning to report for duty in the U. S. army at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. The sister is on the way to recovery.

Misses Francis Keller and Mayme Keller, cousins, of Montrey, Ind., are guests of their aunt, Mrs. John Keller, of south Main street.

Nadine Face Powder
Produces a Beautiful Complexion.

Soft and velvety. Remains until washed off. Purified by a newly discovered process. Harmless to the skin. Prevents eruptions of discoloration. (In green boxes only.) Buy one 50c package and money will be refunded if you are not entirely satisfied. Tints—White, Flesh, Pink, Brunette. By leading druggists or mail. Sold by NATIONAL TOILET CO., Park, Tenn.

QUEEN LOU DRUGGED
When She Raced Major Delmar, According to Charges.

FAMOUS CASE NOW ON.
Board of Review Takes Up the Charges Against Smathers.

By Associated Press.
New York, Dec. 5.—The board of review of the National Trotting Association today began a hearing of the case against E. E. Smathers, former owner of Major Delmar, which is alleged to have won the \$5,000 gold challenge cup offered by the Memphis Trotting Association in 1904 because Lou Dillon, owned by C. K. G. Billings, had been drugged.

An affidavit from Millard Sanders, a former trainer of Lou Dillon, said that Edward Sanders had proposed to him that Lou Dillon "be doped" and told him he thought \$5,000 to \$10,000 could be obtained from Mr. Smathers. Millard Sanders said he refused to do so. Edward Sanders, a stable man who said he saw Millard Sanders administer something to Lou Dillon out of a bottle. An affidavit made by Geo. Spear, who was trainer for Mr. Smathers at the time of the race, was also read. In Mr. Spear declared that he had instructions from Mr. Smathers to undertake such negotiations as would insure the race to Major Delmar.

RAILWAY EMPLOYEE FINDS IMMUNITY.
By Associated Press.
Columbus, Dec. 5.—Agents of concerns that want employees who come into Ohio and solicit persons to enter that employment, cannot be reached by the law which requires employment agents to take out state licenses and to give bond to the state commissioner of labor. State Commissioner Rathford saw an "ad" in the local paper a week or so ago indicating that such an agent was here trying to secure experienced secret service men and he was called to the commissioner's office for investigation. It was found that he was in the employment of the railroad company for this purpose and was paid a salary for his service just as any other employee of the company is. He has no interest in the employment and for that reason could not be molested.

BIG TIME ALL DAY TOMORROW AT THE BOOK SHOP, 116 W. HIGH STREET, OPERA HOUSE BLOCK.

FOR SALE.
Modern eleven room house, west North street, near McDonell. A bargain. Will take smaller property in exchange.

Four new six and seven room houses, west high street. Will sell on easy payments.

Four five room houses, south Tanner avenue. Near shops, easy payments.

Eight room double house south side near shops. Will pay 10 percent net on investment. Will take smaller property in exchange.

D. C. DUNN.
48-49 324 Holland Block.

FLAGER BROTHERS
Purchase "The Wigwag", Cigar Store.

A mercantile transaction of interest to the many friends of the purchasers was closed this afternoon, when Messrs Fred and Earl Flager purchased the "Wigwag" Cigar Store, formerly conducted by Capt. & Dugray and recently thrown in receivers hands through a disagreement of the partners. The Flager brothers have a large following of friends who will wish them success. Mr. Catt will retain his news agency in the same room.

Mrs. Austin's Buckwheat has a world wide reputation on account of its genuine buckwheat flavor. Don't forget the name.

ARITITS' RECITAL.
The Artists' Recital to be given by the ladies of the Sappho club, will be held at the home of Mrs. C. C. Miller, tomorrow, Thursday afternoon, at 2:30. Please let there be a full attendance.

HATS HALF PRICE.

Thursday afternoon from 2 to 5:30 you can buy any trimmed or untrimmed hat in our store at just half the regular price. We have just as fine a selection as we had at the beginning of the season, many of them trimmed in fine plumes. The prices are all marked in plain figures, and if necessary you can wait on yourself without the assistance of a saleslady. This half-price proposition positively makes every hat much less than cost, but considering the fact that we have such a phenomenal business this season, we will make this sacrifice to clean up the balance of our stock. Remember this sale just lasts from 2 to 5:30, but if it is impossible to come before 5:30, phone to us and we will wait a few minutes.

Long and Short Kimonos.
Our line of kimonos will appeal to every lady in this vicinity and here is a rare opportunity to supply your wants.

LONG KIMONOS AND WRAPPERS
made from silks, eiderdown, fine Japanese goods and various other materials. These prices prevail tomorrow afternoon:

The \$1.25 ones for	89c
The \$1.50 ones for	\$1.19
The \$2.50 ones for	\$1.98
The \$3.00 ones for	\$2.25
The \$6.50 silk ones for	\$4.98
The \$8.00 silk ones for	\$6.98
The \$9.50 silk ones for	\$7.98

SHORT KIMONOS.
Like cut and several other styles, made from fancy Eiderdown and tennis flannel and these prices are positively away less than cost, just for Thursday afternoon.

All 50c to 85c garments, 2 to 5:30 p. m. choice 25c.
All \$1.25 to \$1.75 garments, 2 to 5:30 p. m., choice 48 cents.

Light & Conner's New Store, Down on the Square.

MEN EXCHANGED STOMACHS.
Remarkable Experience of Two South Dakota Cousins.

[Slab Hollow (S. D.) Cor Baltimore Sun.]

Grave trouble that has been brooding over two families out at Rittville in this county for considerable time was driven away last week and the manner of its banishment was as wonderful as that which brought it about.

Two men of Rittville, cousins by the name of Doremus and Jacob Master-son, were both, a year or so ago, taken down with serious stomach trouble which dragged along with varying conditions of improvement and relapse until it was finally decided, eight weeks ago, to send them down to the hospital at Berland and have operations performed.

It so happened that they were both under the knife at the same time, the diagnosis being stomach trouble and the remedy decided upon, a removal of the organ, betterments and improvements made upon it, and then replaced, in the true modern style.

But just at the most critical moment in the operations, the acetylene plant in the basement of the hospital blew up with a resounding roar, the cry of "fire" was raised and great confusion immediately reigned throughout the establishment. Timid doctors deserted their posts and ran and timid nurses fainted and had to be carried out, and immediate preparations were made to remove the patients, but that there was not the least danger of fire. Order was soon restored and the interrupted operations on the Master-son cousins were resumed and carried to what seemed to be a successful close. They had their stomachs returned to them, were sewed up once more, got well and both came home feeling in splendid health.

But they were no sooner home than trouble began again. Doremus, a small man and hitherto a model of good behavior, sobriety and moderate life, developed a passion for strong drink that he could not control and did not seem to want to control, while his nightly revels and boisterous conduct in public, in season and out of season became a regular scandal.

Jacob, on the other hand, a great, stalwart, overbearing, domineering man, full of push, energy and business, always with a dozen irons in the fire and kept all hot and hurrying, had become the complete opposite of all that he had ever been. He was gentle, bashful, mild, retiring and without energy, unable to attend to his business, train his dogs, drive his horse,

order his wife about or make his children mind.

When public wonder and curiosity were at the utmost tension in regard to the cousins a heart-broken letter was received by the hospital authorities from one of the nurses who had been helping in the operations on Doremus and Jacob and had left the hospital immediately thereafter, stating that, according to the best of her memory, now that she had a chance to think it over, she had mixed the two stomachs of the Master-son men and had had them put back wrong.

The authorities communicated the contents of this strange letter to the cousins, and a great light broke in at once on the Rittville mysteries.

It now seemed that there could be no doubt that the gentle nature of Doremus was making a terrible failure of attempting to manage the strong and stalwart stomach of Jacob and that Jacob's great, domineering nature was all going to wreck for the want of a proper boiler to keep steam up.

Their friends hurried them back to Garland, and they were once more placed on the operating table and their stomachs taken out, changed about and replaced, with full confidence on the part of all that there would be no misfits this time.

And the happy result has justified the hopeful prediction, for all that Jacob was in the bygone time he now is, and all that Doremus was not in the old days he is not now, and no man can tell a particle of difference between what they both used to be and what they both now are.

IF IT IS AN Xmas Gift
you have in mind. Don't buy until you see THE CROCKER FOUNTAIN PEN. "You blow it to full it."

A most useful, handsome and satisfactory gift.

A constant source of pleasure.

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Insure Long Life and an Ever-Fitting Collar
The buttonholes are reinforced with a patented C-shaped hook, of a tough, unbreakable composition, underneath the fabric which absolutely prevents their being torn or made too large.

Nevertair Collars last longer than others, are made better—of better material, and they look well as long as you wear them.

Look for the Hook
It means collar safety and collar insurance. All Nevertair Collars have the patented hook which gives room for your tie to slip around easily. 4 sizes—all shapes—2 for 25c.

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The Dry Goods, Dress Goods and Cloak House.

Holiday Hosiery.
Many shoppers consider that silk hosiery makes an ideal holiday gift. Knowing this we have exerted every effort to procure the finest qualities—the newest designs, especially for the holiday trade. Beautiful colored boxes with every dollar purchase.

Ladies' Black Hose, of silk gauze, an exceptional value, at \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Ladies' Hose, fine silk gauze, all colors at \$1.50 a pair.

Ladies' Hose, pure silk allover lace, all shades, \$2.50 a pair.

Men's Hose, all silk, an elegant line to select from, at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Silk Umbrellas.
Are always an appropriate gift. Our stock is most complete—finer and offers wider range for selection than ever before. Values offered surpass those of any former years.

Ladies' Umbrellas—good quality silk cover, paragon frame, natural wood handles at \$3.50.

Ladies' colored umbrellas—fancy woven border, all popular colors, handles to match, something new this season at \$4.00.

Ladies' Plaid Umbrellas—of rainproof serge silk, popular colors, natural wood handles, satin black border, this season's very latest at \$5.00.

Children's Colored Umbrellas—of twill silk covering, natural wood handles trimmed with sterling silver, all popular colors. 22 in. frame, at \$1.50.

Wilton and Axminster Rugs.
This sale affords the best opportunities of all the year. The selection is one of the largest and most interesting we have ever shown embracing all desired sizes and qualities. Come to this store for a rug of any size.

WILTON RUGS.
9x12 ft. size, \$37.50 values, now \$30.00.
8x10.6 ft. size, \$35.00 values, now \$30.00.
36x63 in. size, \$6.50 values, now \$4.98.

AXMINSTER RUGS.
9x12 ft. size, former value \$25.00, now \$21.50.
8x10.6 ft. size, former value \$20.00, now \$17.00.
36x63 in. size, former value \$4.50, now \$3.75.
27x54 in. size, former value \$2.75, now \$1.98.

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Dec. 5.—In compliance of the last general assembly of Marion township regular meeting have township into two road provided for in the new The dividing line will be e river, extending north the section east of the District No. 1 and the st will be known as Dis-Superintendents will be o take charge of these a old system of super; abolished by the new day labor law is also hich requires all voters ages of 21 and 55 years, t two days road tax. A pures the trustees to de-wnship funds in the bank highest rate of interest. elphos banks allow the d interest so the money osted with both institu-

crowd of young people tfully entertained at the and Mrs. Ralph Rokey, phos. After a mountful been served, the even-ored in card playing and eents.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. south Bredeick street, a

bers of St. Aloysius 22, Catholic Knights of a regular meeting, when election of officers was ng in the following being resident, Otto Moennig; nt, John C. Tegencamp; her to her mother's. He went and found himself in a house in the poorest part of New York. A woman, suffer- from diphtheria, was lying in a room, which the child did not enter. The doctor told the woman she ought to be removed to a proper hospital. "Think of the danger your daughter is running!" The woman burst into tears and said she had no daughter. "She died yesterday morning from diphtheria and is lying in the next room." The doctor looked and there saw the body of the child.

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To vent his spite he bethought him of a savage lion which was among his possessions. He had noticed, he told the Englishman, that the British coat of arms was supported by a lion and a unicorn. He thought a live lion would be a great addition to the con- sulate, and desired to present the animal to Queen Victoria for that purpose.

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Fine effects in the photograph more a specialty than cards, while they have all the latest cards for Holidays at the Ebersole Studio.

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CATARRH PREPARES THE SYSTEM FOR CONSUMPTION

Catarrh in its first stages does not hurt the head, it does not hurt the eyes, if the trouble is allowed to run on. The contracting of a generally the commencement of the unpleasant symptoms of catarrh in the ears, nose, stopped up, mucus dropping back throat, hawking and spitting, etc. The inner skin or mucous of the body becomes inflamed and secretes an unhealthy mat- is absorbed into the blood, and Catarrh becomes a serious and blood disease. Every day the blood becomes more heavily loaded with poisonous secretions, and as the poisoned blood constantly passes through the lungs they become diseased, and often Catarrh terminates in consumption. Sprays, washes, inhalations and such treatment do no real cure. The only way to cure Catarrh is to purify and build up the blood. S. S. S. has been proven the remedy best suited for this purpose. It goes down to the very bottom of the trouble and removes every trace of impurity from the circulation, freshens this life stream and, as this healthy blood goes to every nook and corner of the body, a lasting cure made. The inflamed mem- tissues heal, the secretions cease, the head is cleared and the entire renovated and put in good condition by the use of S. S. S. Write book which contains valuable information about Catarrh and ask special medical advice you desire, without charge.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

A BILIOUS SPELL
can be very quickly overcome if you will only resort to the Bitters at the first symptom. Your liver needs the assistance that only his medicine can give. Be sure to try it at once.

HOSKETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS
has a 53 years' record back of it and beside stimulating the liver, also cures Poor Appetite, Belching, Sick Headache, Sleeplessness, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Chills, Colds, or Female Ills.

HIS LOVE FOR WIFE COST HIM HIS LIFE.
Kenton, O., Dec. 5.—While on the road to recovery from typhoid fever Horace Sattimer, a young farmer, rose out of bed and drove to town to summon a physician for his wife, who also became ill with typhoid. He contracted pneumonia and died suddenly today.

"Pineules" (non-alcoholic) made from resin from our Pine Forests, used for hundreds of years for Bladder and Kidney diseases. Medicine for thirty days, \$1.00. Guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Get our guarantee coupon from Vorkamp's drug store.

DINNER STORIES.

At a certain ducal mansion in the early Victorian days economy was the ruling passion of the hosts, and it was impossible for the guests to obtain any coal for their bedrooms. Remembering his discomfort on this account during a previous visit, one guest brought an extra portmanteau filled with coal. Unfortunately this burst open as it was being carried upstairs, and the contents were scattered. He was never asked again.

One of the Cowley fathers, now in

London, who was lately in New York, tells a remarkable story of an American doctor who, as he was resting at home one evening, was told that a little girl wished to see him. He gave an evasive answer, but the servant came back with the message that the child's mother was very ill; would the doctor go and see her at once? The physician wrote down the name of another medical man; but again his servant returned, saying the girl would not go unless the doctor accompanied her to her mother's. He went and found himself in a house in the poorest part of New York. A woman, suffer- from diphtheria, was lying in a room, which the child did not enter. The doctor told the woman she ought to be removed to a proper hospital. "Think of the danger your daughter is running!" The woman burst into tears and said she had no daughter. "She died yesterday morning from diphtheria and is lying in the next room." The doctor looked and there saw the body of the child.

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BUDGET OF SHAWNEE

Preparations Under Way for
Proper Celebration of
Santa Day.

SOME FEW PLEASURES

Enjoyed During the Week
While Visitors are Many
in the Neighborhood.

On Board Trolley, Dec. 5.—Cyrus Yoakum and wife and daughter, of Paulding county are the guests for a few days of Cress Yoakum and family.

Clinton Strawbridge and Eliza Zurnmehly are spending the week sight seeing in Chicago.

There will be preaching services at the Shawnee chapel Sunday forenoon at the usual hour. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

Misses Alice Boogher and Sophia Umbaugh, of Lima, were guests Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Boogher.

R. R. Zurnmehly left Wednesday morning for Cleveland to resume his duties as a student of Blackstone at the Western Reserve University.

Mrs. Mattie Morgan, of Lima, was a guest Thanksgiving day, of Mrs. Anne Zurnmehly.

Cledith Reed, of Cleveland, was a guest over Sunday of Shawnee relatives.

Preparations are already under way by several of the township schools for the celebration of Christmas with appropriate exercises.

Word has been received here that the thirteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Yoakum, of Marion, formerly of this place, is suffering with blood poisoning in one of his ankles. It is thought, however, that amputation will not become necessary unless other more serious complications arise.

The measuring party at the home of Anna Hover on Tuesday was well attended and was a success in every respect. Music, games, social conversation and plenty of refreshments helped the evening hours to pass away only too rapidly.

A Home Made Happy by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy
About two months ago our baby girl had measles which settled on her lungs and at last resulted in a severe attack of bronchitis. We had two doctors but no relief was obtained. Every body thought she would die. I went to eight different stores to find a certain remedy which had been recommended to me and failed to get it when one of the storekeepers insisted that I try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I did so and our baby is alive and well today.—Geo. W. Spence, Holly Springs, N. C. For sale by All Drug- gists.

DUEL TO THE DEATH

Between Camel Madden by Jealous Rage.

[New York World.]

Here is a story of a battle royal between camels. It is told by an eye-witness of the fierce encounter, which was a duel of jealous rage.

Robert C. Arnold, a sugar planter in the Philippines, brings to New York the report of this strange conflict on a plantation in Tambao, Mindanao.

"One of the camels was an Indian bull of great speed and endurance, another a big South Australian brown draught bull and the third a handsome fawn-colored cow.

"Kingsley, I may say, had noticed for some time that a sort of love jealousy had sprung up between the two bulls over the cow camel. There is little doubt that rivalry in love for the female was the cause of the fray.

"When the fight started we ran in to the field and ventured as near the combatants as we dared, hiding ourselves behind some scrub timber.

"When we got under cover the two bulls seemed to be maneuvering for a chance to get in the effective blow or hold, although they were some yards apart. They were both mad all through.

"The cow camel, meantime, was sitting down fifty yards away, calmly watching the fight.

"Suddenly the brown bull, setting his legs like mighty columns of marble on the firm ground, drew his head well back and waited. The Indian, on the other hand, drew his slender and more shapely legs well under him and crouched low. His neck was strained to its utmost, his head almost touched the ground, while foam flew from his jaws.

"Slowly the black fellow crept on until within a few feet of the brown, and then with a spring of indescribable swiftness he dashed forward and seized the off foreleg of the brown in his bony jaws and jerked the leg across on the near side, trying to hurl the brown on his flank; but the big fellow had evidently been there before, for he dropped like a flash of lightning to his knees, and seizing the black by his withers with his teeth, crushing the black head down with his neck, he put all his giant strength into his work and fairly hoisted the Indian off his legs, bearing away great lumps of

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THE STAGE.

A story full of heart interest and bubbling with fun and humor. It deals with the home life of the "long shore" folks of New England, bringing out all their quaint and amusing characteristics and telling a tale of love, intrigue, hate and cunning. There are six splendid comedy characters, so one may see, at a glance, that the comedy element is the bright and amusing part of "The Warning Bell," which will be presented at the Farout opera house tonight.

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LAXATIVE COUGH SYRUP.

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BEE'S LAXATIVE.

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All cough syrups containing opiates consti-
pate the bowels. Bee's Laxative Honey and
Tar moves the bowels and contains no opiates.
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feet, hair and hide with one effort. "The he bounded to his feet and threw himself forward with all his mighty weight to try and crush the Indian; but the Indian shot under him as he came, like a lightweight boxer under the long left hand of a heavy weight, and, turning with electric speed, he seized the brown bull by the heel of his near hind leg and threw him clean and square upon his back, and then dashed in upon him, trying to force the big fellows head upon the ground and pin it there with his bristlet, and so crush his skull to a pulp.

"The Australian seemed to know that if once pinned down he would never rise again, and he fought savagely, but always cautiously.

"When the black bull placed his weight in one direction the brown would shift his head in another as rapidly as a swallow veers in mid-air, and yet he never lost an opportunity to pay his respects to neck, shoulder and throat, tearing and rending and ripping with his yellow teeth like a tiger.

"But the Indian was not idle. Once his jaws met over and under the bones that guard the eyes of camels, and with one horrible crunch the bones splintered and the great brown eye was smashed into watery fragments.

"The dust thrown up by their struggling bodies mingled with the blood and foam that was flying in all directions, and yet the fighting brutes made no sound. It was a duel to the death, and no noise was wanted.

"All at once, as if he knew no lime was to be wasted, the big brown bull clasped his forelegs round the black bull's body, and with a gigantic effort, rolled clean over with his foe and tried to jam the Indian down, but the black was too swift, and with a bound was on his feet, and again they faced each other and circled round and round like wrestlers looking for a fatal hold.

"The brown was the first to charge, and, as his head slipped past the other's guard his jaws closed on the near foreleg just below the knee joint, and he jerked the Indian to his flank, and then with a thud that shook the very trees by which we stood, he crashed down his massive body to crush the enemy.

"The black had rolled to one side, and as the brown bull rose quick the black was upon him, and his teeth had the ear of his rival close home by the roots, and, with one terrific munch, he tore it way close down to the scalp, leaving the white bones grinning up toward the skies, bloody, bare and brutal.

"No power on earth could have stopped them. They were maddened with wrath, and would have turned on an army.

"But the end soon came, for the black had the worst of the weights, and weight, as you know, always tells in a struggle when both are in earnest.

"We saw a wild rush and dense cloud of dust, a rally at short range, and then the Indian bull went down, and the brown devil dropped his bristlet fair and square on his skull, and before we could whistle a hymn the huge mountain of flesh had smashed the lean head to a jelly.

"That ended the mortal career of the black fellow, and we had to shoot the brown.

"About three weeks later the cow camel accidentally fell and broke one of its fore legs, and, of course, it too had to be shot. So that ended the career of the three camels in the Philippines."

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THE NEW SPELLING.

(New York World.)

Sa, Sum da. Tumbow, Tha'll learn to spel Wel, But not now. Old rules For Nu York skules Ar the kind For the youthful mind In thez parts, And simpligratic arts Ar n. g. Se? Though We may knowh It's rough To blough, We'll have to cough Up a scough At any bough That bears the blomm of knowledge nough, Becauz we no Reform is slo. What? It is not? All rite, after why? We'll hav the nu gyl, And then The sons and dawters ov men Will fall through Between the old and the neugh, And to spell Will be—well, It will be, and it's bad enuf now. Wough!

A STOREFUL OF GIFTS.

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ASSAULT MADE

By Wm. Jackson Accord-
ing to Charge.

PEA OF NOT GUILTY

Which Has Been Filed in
Mayor's Court by a
Colored Woman.

Entered by the Defendant
and the Case Set For
Hearing.

An East Side Youth Charged
With Stealing Some
Corn Fodder.

William Jackson, a colored man, who was arrested yesterday afternoon, charged by his stepdaughter, Frances Spicer, also colored, with criminal assault, pleaded not guilty when arraigned before Mayor Robb this morning, and his case was sent for a hearing in mayor's court at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. He was held in default of bond in the sum of \$200.

Dudolph and Joseph Reis, two east High street youth, were arraigned this morning on the charge of stealing fifteen dollars worth of corn fodder from Grant Rumbaugh, residing east of this city. They pleaded not guilty and the case against Joseph was dismissed, but Rudolph was held to appear for a hearing on next Monday.

The complainant in the case claims that a man who owned a portion of the corn fodder had sold a portion of it to Reis and that the latter, instead of taking that portion, hauled all of the fodder out of the field, taking many shocks which did not belong to him.

Martin Painter, charged with stealing coal, pleaded not guilty and was bound over to the probate court.

John Boose, charged with assault and battery, the complainant being attorney M. J. Sanford, pleaded guilty and was fined \$10.55. He claimed that he and Mr. Sanford had a dispute over a commission of fifty dollars which was due him and that he only slapped him with his open hand. Mr. Sanford's hat was badly worsted in the mix-up. Mr. Boose promptly paid his fine and the costs.

THE NEW SPELLING.

(New York World.)

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Two days treatment free. Ring's Dyspepsia Tablets for impaired digestion, impure breath, perfect assimilation of food, increased appetite. Do not fail to avail yourself of the above offer. Sold by Vorkamp's drug store.

THE STAGE.

A story full of heart interest and bubbling with fun and humor. It deals with the home life of the "long shore" folks of New England, bringing out all their quaint and amusing characteristics and telling a tale of love, intrigue, hate and cunning. There are six splendid comedy characters, so one may see, at a glance, that the comedy element is the bright and amusing part of "The Warning Bell," which will be presented at the Farout opera house tonight.

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Non-alcoholic Sarsaparilla

If you think you need a tonic, ask your doctor. If you think you need something for your blood, ask your doctor. If you think you would like to try Ayer's non-alcoholic Sarsaparilla, ask your doctor. We publish this form free. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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Last spring we bought the largest bill of diamonds ever brought into Lima in one shipment, over \$12,000—since then diamonds have advanced twice 5 percent each time.

We honestly believe, from all conditions, that you will see diamond selling for \$300 per kt.

Diamonds bought today are certainly a good investment.

We have one special lot this week of 1-4 kt. size at \$25.00 to \$30.00 each.

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What is the use of having aching teeth, or troublesome, ill-swelling roots when you can get them put in good condition or a new set of teeth made in as painless and up-to-date manner as experienced and skill can possibly do. Our methods of filling and extraction are fast obtaining the confidence of our patients for us and our crowns and bridges put in the mouth and adjusted to stay. We stand back of our work. Try us and be convinced.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

By Associated Press.
Washington, Dec. 5.—For Ohio:
Rain tonight, warmer in northeast
portion; Thursday snow or rain ex-
cept fair in southwest portion, colder.

A net, as a lexicographer defines it,
is a fabric of regular concatenated in-
terstitial vacuities. Next.

The funeral invitation, after the
style of the wedding invitation, is com-
ing into vogue in New York.

If King Haakon hasn't a motto,
somebody should suggest to him that
expressive Americanism, "Hiho on!"

Mexico has a millionaire, Senor
Pedro Alvarado, who has generously
proposed to assume the national debt.
But in that case, what would Mexico
do for a blessing?

Cuba recently appropriated \$1,000-
000 to promote immigration. If the
south is in earnest about wanting im-
migrants, there is a hint in the ac-
tion of the young republic.

General Mackenzie wants congress
to appropriate \$1,450,000 for fortifica-
tion work in Boston harbor. What's
the use? Spain hasn't any navy now,
and Boston needn't be frightened.

Somebody has computed that if the
wealth in the United States were con-
verted into dollars bills, the string of
them would reach to the moon and
back thirty times. Don't do it then;
some of them might get away.

If you happen to be in financial dis-
tress and are too proud to ask for help,
you are a candidate for assistance by
Mrs. Sage, the mistress of \$80,000,000.
She is looking for you, but if you peep,
you destroy your chances.

Mrs. Hetty Green, the richest woman
in, is credited with predicting a revo-
lution of the people against the trusts.
She ought to be willing to help the
president to make it a peaceful revo-
lution—a correction through the law of
the square deal.

A woman arrested in Chicago, the
other day, was finally identified as the
wife of a clergyman. She for a long
time pleaded that the efforts to es-
tablish her identity might cease, as
her husband would "divorce her and
drive her out." But he is the very man
who should not do such a thing.
That cannot be the mercy he preaches.

WE ARE GROWING YOUNGER.

We are a younger people than we
were fifty years ago. The proportion
of babies to the total population has
increased. The proportion of old peo-
ple has diminished. So says the United
States census of 1900. Of the ba-
bies that are born, three now reach
the age of five for every two that
reached it fifty years ago. Infant mor-
tality has diminished, but old-age mor-
tality has increased. Since 1890 the
increase of the death-rate from 60 to
64 is 7 per cent; from 65 to 69, 6½
per cent; from 70 to 74, 16½ per cent;
from 75 to 79, 7 per cent; from 80 to
84, 15 per cent; from 85 to 89, 12 per
cent; from 90 to 94, 30½ per cent;
from 95 up, 20½ per cent. That is the
record that Dr. John V. Shoemaker
gleaned from the census of 1890, and
corrects by later information procured
from Washington. So we die earlier
than our grandparents did. The rea-

The Itch Fiend

That is Salt Rheum or Eczema,—one of
the outward manifestations of scrofula.
It comes in itching, burning, oozing, dry-
ing, and scaling patches on the face, head,
hands, legs or body.

It cannot be cured by outward applica-
tions,—the blood must be rid of the im-
purity to which it is due.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Has cured the most persistent and difficult
cases. Accept no substitute for Hood's; no
substitute acts like it.



CONGRESS GETS TO WORK TODAY.

Our Old Friend Mr. Corporation—I'm afraid he won't be a bit respectful to me this session.

sions suggested for it are that a larger
proportion of weaklings survive in-
fancy, and that life is more luxurious,
and the nervous strain of it greater
than it used to be.—Harper's Weekly.

TARIFF REVISION PROMISES.

The standpat republican statesmen
are becoming a trifle more amenable
to tariff revision sentiment since they
have looked over the election returns
and find some of their most ardent
friends left on the outside of the
breakwaters. Before the election they
were determined not to make any de-
finite promises about when the tariff
would be revised, but now many of
them express the opinion that the next
national convention should declare for
revision. "Immediately following the
inauguration of the president in 1909."

This procrastination is on a par with
the standpat doctrine and as promises
made in republican national platforms
have often been broken, such a de-
claration in 1908 may meet the same
fate.

There can be no greater urgency for
tariff revision than now and if
the republican leaders do not want to
again fool the people, why should they
refuse to allow the congress just elect-
ed to enter upon the task? The six-
tieth congress could be called togeth-

er soon after March 4th and have
ample time to perfect a bill during
1907—an off year in politics—before
the excitement of the presidential can-
vass begins. Everyone is suffering
from trust high prices and to postpone
relief for three years will be a "plate"
indication that the tariff protected
trusts have more influence with a re-
publican president and congress than
the people who elected them.

NOTICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS.

We are pleased to announce that
Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs,
colds and lung troubles is not affect-
ed by the National Pure Food and
Drug law as it contains no opiates or
other harmful drugs, and we recom-
mend it as a safe remedy for chil-
dren and adults. Wm. M. Melville, Old
P. O. corner.

IT'S A MEASLY SHAME

To do it, but we must clean up our
immense stock of trimmed and un-
trimmed hats. Take your choice to-
morrow afternoon from 2 to 5:30 at
just half-price. If you cannot get in
before 5:30 phone us and we will wait
a few minutes. Light & Conner.

NOTICE, W. V. R. C.

The ladies of the W. V. R. U. will
meet in their hall in the Donze block,
Thursday afternoon, Dec. 6, 1906.
By order of PRESIDENT.

TO CONSIDER SITES

Trustees of Memorial Build-
ing Want Offers.

The trustees of the Memorial build-
ing are now prepared to consider the
question of location and expect soon
to be equipped to purchase such site
as we may agree upon. We have de-
cided to receive propositions from any
person or persons who have the neces-
sary area, and have determined that
no site less than 160 feet by 200 feet
will be considered.

C. F. DONZE, Sec'y.

HARMAN'S HOLIDAY OPENING.
Today and tomorrow. Store open
both evenings.

PUBLIC SPEAKER INTERRUPTED.
Public speakers are frequently in-
terrupted by people coughing. This
would not happen if Foley's Honey and
Tar were taken, as it cures coughs and
colds and prevents pneumonia and con-
sumption. The genuine contains no
opiates and is in a yellow package.

WOMAN, LOVELY WOMAN.

There will be lots of them at Light
& Conner's half-price sale on trimmed
and untrimmed hats tomorrow after-
noon from 2 to 5:30.

GOSSARD AND L'IRRESISTIBLE CORSETS.
THEY LACE IN FRONT.

An opportunity to in-
vestigate the advantages
of these beautiful and
really remarkable stays
is afforded every woman
who will visit our corset
section this week. Mr.
Gossard has delegated one
of his most enthusiastic
corsetiers, Miss Balfour,
to more thoroughly ac-
quaint the women of
Lima with this peculiar
corset that is fast mak-
ing its way into the favor
of America's best gowned
women. Heretofore the
price has been the only
bar to great popularity.
Now it is different. You
can buy a Gossard front
lace corset for as little as
\$5.00. Come see them;
be fitted. No charge, no
obligation. Miss Balfour
will be here this week
only.

2nd Floor, Center.



G. E. BLUEM,
221-223 NORTH MAIN STREET.
The Dry Goods, Dress Goods and Cloak House.

WHAT TO BUY HIM
FOR CHRISTMAS
And Where to Buy it.

A PAIR OF SILK SUSPENDERS
In a handsome individual box. We have them at
50c, 75c and \$1.00.

A PAIR OF ADLER GLOVES
All the newest styles including the South American
Cape, English made, in tans and browns,
beige and black, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

A SMOKING JACKET
\$3.50 to \$10.00.

A BOX OF IMPORTED HALF HOSE
In Silk Lisle or Cotton. Plain or fancy, special holi-
day styles, 25c and 50c.

A FEW NECKTIES
In the famous "Waterhouse Make." All styles 50c,
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A Lamson & Hubbard Hat.
A Kuppenheimer Suit or Overcoat.
A College Brand Suit or Overcoat.
THIS SEASON'S STYLES ONLY AT

THE WARDROBE,
LIMA HOUSE CORNER.

LID ON AT VAN WERT

Two Saloonists Taken Be-
fore Mayor For Violat-
ing Sunday Law.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

Nephew Makes a Startling
Discovery at Home of
Wm. Wert.

Van Wert, December 5.—The lid
is on again in this town.
Adam Miltenberger, the North Mar-
ket street saloon keeper was arrested
yesterday morning for selling liquor
to James Eckfeldt, who was intox-
icated on Sunday. He was fined \$25
and costs and given five days in the
county jail.

John Eckfeldt, charged with keep-
ing open a place for selling liquor on
Sunday, was arrested yesterday.
William Wert, unmarried and living
on South Fulton street, was found
dead in bed by his nephew, Lee Blake,
He was last seen Saturday afternoon
and then seemed to be in his usual
health. Mr. Blake went to the home
of Mr. Wert and looking in at the win-
dow saw that he had not been astrid
during the day. He went to a window
which was slightly raised and entered
the house. To his astonishment he
found Mr. Wert to be dead and covered
by several comforts and one or two
blankets.

Joseph Clemmons and family, of
Lima, were visitors at the home of
his mother, Mrs. Clemmons, of York.
J. A. McCoy, of Bryan, visited at
the home of H. C. Ireland and family.
J. H. Morley, Stephen Evans, E. S.
Tansburg and Philip Evans, of Holder,
Ill., are guests at the Marsh. They are
here as prospective buyers of farm
land.

J. W. McMillen, Dr. C. S. Fergus,
Albert McMillen, H. W. Evans and
Mrs. J. F. Longworth left, this
morning, for a trip to Texas and Okla-
homa.

Millions of bottles of Foley's Honey
and Tar have been sold without any
person ever having experienced any
other than beneficial results from its
use for coughs, colds and lung trou-
bles. This is because the genuine
Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow
package contains no opiates or other
harmful drugs. Guard your health by
refusing and but the genuine. Wm. M.
Melville, Old P. O. corner.

LET US HELP YOU.

Decide on your gifts for Christmas.
At our opening this evening you will
no doubt be perplexed at first by the
magnitude of the assortment of
beautiful things, but we can, no doubt,
suggest just the right thing for you,
and then from now on you needn't be
bothered with the problem. You
should see our cut glass display. It's
as complete as any ever seen here and
as for prices—they are most tempting.
This store more than ever leads
this year in beautiful and useful
things for the Christmas giving and
we want you especially to see it for
yourself. Come in tonight. There
will good music furnished by the Schu-
bert club, lots of people and more than
all, a store which more than ever
leads them all this year in Holiday
suggestions. Remember Christmas is
less than three weeks away and the
annual holiday rush will commence
soon. Avoid this by selecting your
gifts now—tonight.

F. E. HARMON.

HE SLAPPED HER
On the back and told her to be sure
and go to Light & Conner's half-price
sale on trimmed and untrimmed hats
tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 5:30.
He knows a good thing.

Ebersole High Grade Photographer.

DANCE TONIGHT
WHEELER HALL.
As usual. Selden's Orchestra.
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BETWEEN THE TWO
SULTAN WAS EASY.

By Associated Press.
Tangier, Dec. 5.—American Minis-
ter, Mr. Gummere arrived here safely
today from Fez via El-Araish, on
board the steamer Salda.

It is reported that sultan, upon the
advice of the Italian minister, sup-
ported by Mr. Gummere, is coming in state
to Tangier to greet Admiral Touchard,
the commander of the French squad-
ron, in order to show the Mussulman
that he approves of the Franco-Spanish
program.

The Young Ladies' Aid of Market
Street Presbyterian church will hold
a rummage sale in the basement of
the court house, Friday and Saturday,
Dec. 7th and 8th.

The relief of Coughs and colds
through laxative influence, originated
with Bee's Laxative Cough Syrup con-
taining Honey and Tar, a cough syrup
containing no opiates or poisons, which
is extensively sold. Secure a bottle
at once, obtain a guaranteed coupon,
and if not fully satisfied with results,
your money will be refunded. Sold by
Vortkamp's drug store.

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST,
FOR SALE, ETC.

Advertisements occupying four
lines or less will be inserted in this
column for 25 cents for one inser-
tion, or 50 cents for three insertions,
the order to be accompanied by the
cash.

WANTED—Experienced dining room
girl. Lima College, either phone.

WANTED—Competent girl for general
housework. Apply to Mrs. Dr. Col-
lins, Collins block, Public Square.

WANTED—Girls to learn the cigar
making trade. Will pay \$3 per week
until learner can make more by
piece work. After trade has been
accomplished can earn from \$8 to
\$12 per week, depending entirely on
speed of worker. The Deisel-Wen-
ner Co. 897-11

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with or
without board, with privilege of
phone, at 536 west High street.

FOR SALE—An Art Garland base
burner in first class condition; will
sell cheap for cash. Apply at 1025 W.
Spring street, or call New phone
612C.

FOR RENT—A nice six room house,
1206 west high street, with inside
closet. \$10.00 per month. Inquire
217 north Metcalf street. Miss Lettie
Reid.

FOR RENT—An eight room house on
south West street. Inquire at 625
south West or new phone \$80M, C-3.

FOR RENT—A new 5 room house
on Haller street, between Mc-
Donell and West. Apply E. C. Fin-
ley, 542 north McDonell or at the
Auditorium. Phone 799 or
1481.

FOR RENT—Six-room house at 726
south Pine street; 5-room house on
Washington avenue, near Spring.
Inquire at Bloom's Lumber yard, S.
Central avenue.

FOR RENT—Two double houses on
Bellevue avenue, \$8 to \$17 a
side; 7 rooms, steam heat, for offi-
ces; 4 rooms, steam heat for sleep-
ing apartments; 4 modern houses,
west side; also a good business room
John H. Phillips, agent, 269½ south
Main street.

FOR RENT—Some nice houses, 5 to
7 rooms, \$8 and \$10 per month. Al-
so some good barns. Nice modern
rooming house, centrally located. A
few nice houses still left to sell
on renting instalments. Some cash
bargains.

FOYE, 65 public Square.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Two display cases for
store front; as good as new. The
Michael Clothing & Shoe Co. 721

MISCELLANEOUS.

IF YOU HAVE Anything to Sell or
want to Buy Real Estate call New
phone 97C or 966. Do it now. We
will do the rest. J. E. DeVoe.

LOST.

DIAMOND RING LOST—While in the
city Friday evening, Dr. R. E. Jones,
of Gomer, lost a valuable diamond
ring. Leave information at Times-
Democrat office.

Faurot Opera House
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 5TH.

Gordon and Bennett Present

The Warning Bell

A sweet, pure pastoral drama with
a musical setting.

The Quaint Old Cape Codders; the
Funny Comedians; the Substantial
Scene Effects; the Cast of Thirty
with Plenty of Pretty Girls.

Prices: 25c, 35c, 50c.
Seat sales Tuesday, 9 a. m.

VENERABLE

**Elmer Woodmansee Beaten
By Fred Bartl.**

According to a report from Marion,
Ohio, Fred Bartl, the wrestler, defeat-
ed Elmer Woodmansee, of Dayton, in
a straight catch-as-catch-can match at
Marion last night in the short time
of 57 minutes. Woodmansee was a
good wrestler in the days of Mike Sul-
livan and McInerney. He must have
gone back some in the last twenty
years to be defeated by a middle-
weight when he never was good only
as a welter weight.

Itching, torturing skin eruptions,
disfigure, annoy, drive one wild.
Doan's Ointment brings quick relief
and lasting cures. Fifty cents at the
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EXCLUSIVE GARMENT HOUSE



It Prices
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and
Hats.

We have placed our entire stock of Millinery free lots and are making special closing prices this season:

1 \$12.00, \$10.00, \$8.50, \$7.50 Hats at \$4.95.
00, \$5.00, \$4.00 Hats at \$3.25.
00, \$2.50, \$2.00 Hats at \$1.45.

THE FAIR, FIGHT IS OFF

Main Street, Opposite Court House.

Gret that we could not go on all Tuesday afternoon. A dozen clerks have waited on all day. We call again. Have patience and all will be on. g trade we are having week is making us which will us to put our goods on sale next. Our surplus stock jammed full of toys, odds and other Xmas all will be sold at t Prices. It will to wait.

Afternoon from 2 till 3. Tucking caps at 2 for 25c. Wool golf gloves at 2 pair s.

From 3 till 4. Fascinators for 25c. \$1.00 fine madras shirts. of all ladies collars and up to 25c, for 5c.

From 4 till 5. s' belts up to 50c, choice 5c union suits, sizes 4 and 1s for 25c.

After 5. dren will be given the it for 5c. The outfit re- c, our price 5c.

RIBBON.

o our big sale of ribbons. ots of remnants. These ill be on sale from 2 till 1-4 prices.

DIVIDEND OR LAKE SHORE.

k, Dec. 5.—Directors of the e and Michigan Southern mpany have declared a dividend of 6 per cent. increase of 2 per cent. semi- the last previous divi- ration.

of the Michigan Central ed a semi-annual dividend nt which is an increase of ver the last previous semi- dend.

STARTS GRIND

Uncle Sam's Grand Jury
Now at Work.

Toledo Ice Trust Cases are
to be Thoroughly In-
vestigated.

CAR SERVICE BUREAU

Of Which the Lima Agency
is a Branch, Will Also
be Probed.

Lima Man Sits on the Fed-
eral Body in Session
Today.

UNITED STATES GRAND JURY.
John T. Mack, Sandusky, fore-
man.
Oliver Wissell, Westminister
John E. Waddell, Marion.
James Clark, Pettisville.
S. B. Ridenour, Lima.
William W. Sockman, Milton
Center.
George Ernst, Tiffin.
Percy C. Miller, Riverford.
J. L. Carson, Wapakoneta.
E. W. Roberts, Gomer.
Dennis F. Derr, Tiffin.
Frank C. Pore, New Stark.
Edward C. Showman, Van
Buren.
Frank A. Atkins, Sandusky.
John Felker, Toledo.
Dan Clare, Monroeville.
W. S. Voltie, Castalia.

Uncle Sam has locked horns with the Toledo ice trust.

The United States grand jury, for the regular December term, has been empaneled before Judge R. W. Taylor, in the United States district court, and immediately after being charged by Judge Taylor, retired to the fourth floor of the government building to begin its deliberations.

The most important feature of the session will be the investigation of the connection of the Ann Arbor, Pere Marquette and Toledo, St. Louis & Western railroads with the transportation of ice from the northern Michigan ice fields to Toledo and other points in the northern federal district, western division.

The investigation of the ice carrying railroads is the result of Prosecutor Wachenheimer's prosecution of Toledo ice dealers who were convicted of increasing the price of ice in restraint of trade.

John T. Mack, editor of the Sandusky Register, and well known in Northwestern Ohio, was selected foreman of the grand jury, John J. Sullivan, United States district attorney, asked each juror if he or any of his relatives were interested in the Toledo, St. Louis & Western railroad, Pere Marquette, Ann Arbor or the Toledo Ice & Coal company. Upon negative replies, Judge Taylor charged the jury, informing them they are to consider commissions of crime against the statutes of the United States, and not to permit malice or ill will to enter into the faithful discharge of their duties.

A large number of witnesses will be examined by the grand jury, and it is expected to be in session for some days. A transcript of the evidence adduced at the recent hearing of the interstate commerce commission will also be placed before the jurors.

Car Service Matters.
While United States District Attorney Sullivan refuses to discuss the deliberation of the grand jury, it is not considered altogether impossible that the Toledo Car Service association will receive attention. At the commerce commission hearing, it developed, according to testimony, that this association had cancelled demurrage charges against a certain railroad. Other information obtained by the government agents showed that the Michigan Lake Ice company enjoyed almost a monopoly of being refrigerators cars over the Pere Marquette railroad. Shipments of ice, billed to the Toledo hospital, and in reality, consigned to the Toledo Ice & Coal company, over the Ann Arbor, will also be considered by the grand jurors.

The investigation will be a thorough one, under the direction of the United States attorney, and his assistants, and indictments of railroads would not be surprising to some federal officials.

The grand jury is also to investigate alleged violations of the eight-hour law, in this district. District Attorney Sullivan will place information concerning violations before the jurors, under the direction of Attorney General Moody, with whom he recently held a conference, at Washington.

Uncle Sam is after contractors who oblige their men to spend more than eight hours a day on government work, and in this connection Major C. M. Townsend, of the United States corps of engineers, has been subpoenaed by the United States marshals to testify.

LET US HELP YOU SELECT THE CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS BOOKS. THE BOOK SHOP. 47-24 116 W. HIGH.

An Alarming Situation frequently results from neglect of clogged bowels and torpid liver, until constipation becomes chronic. This condition is unknown to those who use Dr. King's New Life Pills; the best and gentlest regulators of Stomach and Bowels. Guaranteed by H. F. Vorkamp, druggist. Price 25c.

TRAIN BROKE IN TWO

And the Two Sections Then
Collided in the Yards
at Fremont.

A BRAKEMAN INJURED.

G. A. Lane, of This City, the
Victim of an L. E. &
W. Accident.

Brakeman G. A. Lane, of the Lake Erie and Western road, was severely injured in an accident that occurred on that road in the yards at Fremont yesterday afternoon. Lane was braking on a freight run and the train he was on broke in two and the two sections then collided. He was hurled from the top of the train and had his back severely sprained and his face badly lacerated and bruised. He was unable to continue his run and was brought back to this city but his injuries are not considered serious.

Three or four cars in the two sections of the train which collided were damaged by the force of the impact but were not derailed and the wreck caused no serious delay to traffic.

How Diphtheria is Contracted.
One often hears the expression, "My child caught a severe cold which developed into diphtheria," when the truth was that the cold had simply left the little one particularly susceptible to the wandering diphtheria germ. When Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given it quickly cures the cold and lessens the danger of diphtheria or any other germ disease being contracted. For sale by all druggists.

ANNUAL ELECTION

Of Officers Held by Lima
Aerie of Eagles.

At their regular session last night, the members of Lima Aerie No. 370, Fraternal Order of Eagles, held their annual election of officers, the following active members being chosen to conduct the affairs of the lodge during the next year:

L. C. Moore, worthy president; Samuel Rader, vice president; Henry Van Gunten, treasurer; Marmion Bryan, chaplain; Peter Laughlin, secretary; William Vosler, inner guard; T. J. Cunningham, outer guard; E. P. Jackman, Erwin Bachman and Frank Phinney, trustees.

Mr. L. B. Crist, who has occupied the chair of worthy president in a very creditable manner during the past year, will occupy the chair of past worthy president, an important station, after the installation of the newly elected officers.

When to Go Home.
From the Bluffton, Ind., Banner: "When tired out, go home. When you want consolation, go home. When you want fun, go home. When you want to show others that you have reformed, go home and let your family get acquainted with the fact. When you want to show yourself at your best go home and do the act there. When you feel like being extra liberal go home and practice on your wife and children. When you want to shine with extra brilliancy go home and light up the whole household." To which was added, when you have had cold go home and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and a quick cure is certain. For Sale by All Druggists.

PURCHASERS ARE M. A. HANNA CO.

Columbus, O., Dec. 5.—Michael Gallagher, a Mount Pleasant coal broker has gone to Cleveland to close the sale of the Glens Run Coal property in Belmont county. The property consists of 7,000 acres and the sale price is \$1,150,000. M. A. Hanna company, of Cleveland, are the purchasers.

DANGER IN ASKING ADVICE.
When you have a cough or cold do not ask some one what is good for it, as there is danger in taking some unknown preparation. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs, colds, and prevents pneumonia. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. Wm. M. Melville, Old Postoffice corner.

HANGED HIMSELF IN HIS OWN BARN.

New Ulham, Minn., Dec. 5.—Judge B. F. Velber, former judge of the district court of Brown and adjacent counties, committed suicide by hanging himself in his barn here. He was 74 years and had been in ill health for some time.

Carter & Carroll

SOLE AGENTS IN THIS CITY FOR REDFERN CORSETS.

Clearance Sale High Grade Corsets in Well Known Makes.

KABO, DU BARRY AND R. & G.

These corsets are so well known that it would be a waste of time and space to dwell on their merits. The one point you wish to be assured of is the sale price. You can then ascertain for yourself the exact saving this sale accords as the regular prices are known by almost every woman due to the past popularity of these well-known makes. About 500 corsets are included in this offering, there being about an equal number of each make.



Du Barry Corsets at About One-Half.

37 DU BARRY CORSETS, four styles, in models suited to the stout, medium and slender figures. Sizes range from 18 to 32. Regular prices \$5.00 and \$6.00. Clearance Sale Price \$2.49.

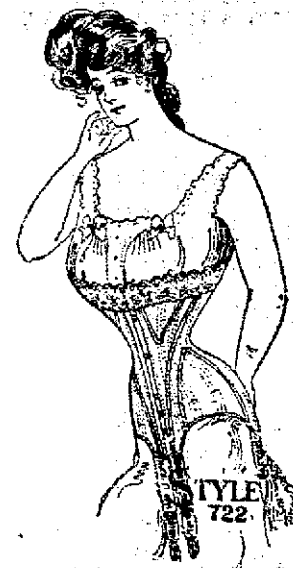
29 DU BARRY CORSETS, three styles, in models suited to the stout, medium and slender figures, sizes range from 18 to 27. Regular prices are \$3.00 and \$4. Clearance Sale Price \$1.98.

Babo Corsets at Less Than Factory Cost.

45 KABO CORSETS, five styles, in models suited to the stout, medium and slender figures. Sizes 20 to 29. Regular price \$2.50. Clearance Sale Price \$1.49.

125 KABO CORSETS, nine styles, in models suited to the stout, medium and slender figures. Sizes 18 to 30. Regular price \$1.50. Clearance Sale Price 98c.

100 KABO CORSETS, eleven styles, in models suited to the stout, medium and slender figures. Sizes 18 to 30. Regular price \$1. Clearance Sale Price 79c.



R. & G. Corsets Meet a Like Fate. All Are Reduced for Final Clearance.

65 R. & G. CORSETS, three styles, in models suited to the stout, medium and slender figures, sizes 19 to 30. Regular price \$1.50. Clearance Sale Price 98c.

85 R. & G. CORSETS, five styles, in models suited to the stout, medium and slender figures, sizes 18 to 30. Regular price \$1. Clearance Sale Price 79c.

R. & G. GIRDLES, two styles, pink, blue and white sizes 18 to 24, regular price 50c. Clearance Sale Price 39c.



LINNEMAN ELECTED

A Second Time as Director
on the Board of
Appeals.

'PUT' SANDLES HEARD

Regarding the Ottawa Track
Which Was in Trouble
a Year Ago.

The congress of the American Trotting association was held yesterday at the Auditorium hotel in Chicago for the purpose of adopting the report of the committee to which was referred numerous changes in the rules governing harness racing.

The business of importance was the re-election of the present board of appeals, consisting of J. C. Linneman, Ohio; N. J. Coleman, Missouri; Geo. H. Madden, Illinois, and F. T. Moran, Michigan.

When the congress was on the point of adjourning A. P. Sandles, representing the track at Ottawa, O., secured the floor and offered a resolution to the effect that the secretary of the American Trotting association be instructed to furnish each track in membership with it with copies of any documents that had been or were to be made the basis of action against the track for

violation of the rules of the association.

Most of the information regarding the suppression of time and other iniquities practiced on some tracks is secured by the voluntary evidence of persons who naturally do not want their names used in connection with thematter. It appears that in 1905 the track represented by Mr. Sandles was hauled up on charges made by people who proved untrustworthy. The track was exonerated in a hearing before the board of review, but it had been put to an expense of \$75, and Mr. Sandles dwelt glowingly on this fact in his speech to the congress.

When he had finished President W. P. Hams declared the whole matter to be out of order and adjourned the congress sine die. Then Mr. Sandles tried to make another speech to the congress "on the side," and began by vociferously alluding to "the iron hand," and announcing that such action as had been taken would drive the county fair tracks of Ohio to the formation of an organization of their own. Then he spoke slurringly of Mr. Linneman, an Ohioan just re-elected to the board of review, whereupon that gentleman told Mr. Sandles a few things about himself, charging him with having defeated the Ohio pool bill and having injured harness racing generally. While the Ohioans were having it out with each other the congress departed.

The board of appeals met last night, but transacted no business of importance.

WE OPEN EVENINGS. MACDONALD JEWELRY CO. 8-41

DORSEY'S SPECIALS

FOR THIS WEEK:

2 Cans Tomatoes	20
2 Cans Corn	20
2 Cans Peas	20
2 Boxes Mother's Outs	20
3 Boxes Best Butter Crackers	25
2 Boxes Fancy Prunes	20

Total \$1.25

ALL FOR \$1.00.

BOOM FORAKER FOR PRESIDENT.

Steubenville, O., Dec. 5.—The colored citizens of Steubenville met at the court house and organized a Foraker club, the object of which is to boom the senior Senator for president. Col. Samuel I. Clement, a prominent secret society man, started out a letter chain to urge colored voters all over the United States to organize for Foraker's interest.

About Digestion.

It is not the quantity of food taken but the amount digested and assimilated that gives strength and vitality to the system. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and enable them to perform their functions. The result is a relish for your food, increased strength and weight, greater endurance and a clear head. Price, 25c. Samples free. For sale by all druggists.

ON LABOR DAY

Allen County Fair Will
Open Next Year.

Board Selected Dates Today
and Awarded Special
Premiums.

THE TOTAL RECEIPTS

Show a Healthy Condition
and Money Was Made
This Year.

Meeting Next Year Will Not
Conflict With Any
Other.

The Allen County Agricultural society was in regular session this morning, and among the most important matters was the selection of the dates for next year's fair.

This year Allen and Shelby counties conflicted, and last year, Allen conflicted with Van Wert. The board taking this under advisement has been studying the question, and was decided to open next year's fair on Monday, the first of September—Labor Day, making that a big day, and continuing the fair four days, closing on Thursday. These dates will conflict with no other fair in this section, and may possibly not even conflict with the state fair which has not as yet chosen dates.

The auditing committee reported the books of the treasurer and secretary as balancing and in perfect order. The total receipts at the September meeting aggregated \$7,682.25, and the meeting was a financial success, with a large sum devoted to permanent improvements.

Awards of the special prizes advertised in the premium lists were made today as follows:

Best display of Wheat—J. A. Rader, Bath township.

Corn—F. P. and J. J. Hardin, Perry township.

Potatoes—Geo. Burkhardt, Shawnee township.

Cabbage—Owen Griffith, Bath township.

Apples—Dexter Lutz, Amanda township.

Grapes—S. R. Miller, German township.

Canned fruit—Mrs. T. M. Price, Sugar Creek township.

Jellies—Mrs. M. J. Froneseid, Auglaize township.

Wheat bread—Ethel Gibson, Lima.

Lager cake—Mrs. Clara Sternagel, Perry township.

Crazy quilt—Mrs. R. C. Eastman, Lima.

Man with largest number of children—Senator T. M. Berry, Spencer-ville.

Oldest man—J. A. Newell, Lima.

Oldest lady—Mrs. Henry Apple, Perry township.

Largest man—H. M. Colvin, Lima.

Largest lady—Mrs. Samuel Wait, Herring.

Smallest man—Ray Sullivan, Lima.

Smallest lady—Ula Sawmiller, Spencer township.

Heaviest man and wife—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Colvin.

Lightest man—Clifford Hurd, Lima.

Tallest man—Ed. Roush, Bath township.

Shortest man—Walter Wetherill, Lima.

Shortest lady—Hattie Glenn, Lima.

Heaviest boy—W. B. Graham, Hume.

Heaviest girl—Ruth Grubb, Hume.

Tallest boy—Guy Kemp, Spencer-ville.

Tallest girl—Pearl Settlement, Hume.

Teacher having largest number of pupils at fair—J. L. Fratz, German township.

Allen county farmer coming greatest distance to attend fair—Asa Ridgeman, came 1,700 miles.

Tallest boy 16 years of age—Joe McHaffey, Lima.

Tallest girl 16 years of age—May Morrison, Lima.

Two heaviest men—H. M. Colvin, Ben Bowsher.

Best butter maker—Mrs. J. E. Dyer-sole.

Best bread maker—Mrs. J. X. Froneseid, Harrod.

Heaviest baby—Master Frank McCoy, Shawnee township.

Your money refunded if after using three-fourths (3/4) of a tube of Man-Zan, you are dissatisfied. Return the balance of the tube to your druggist, and your money will be cheerfully returned. Take advantage of this offer. Sold by Vorkamp's drug store.

Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, regulates the bowels, aids the kidneys, cures stomach troubles, builds up the nervous force and repairs the ill effects of over eating. Ten or Tablets, 35 cents. H. F. Vorkamp.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Vernon Fries, son of Rev. Dr. W. J. Fries, of Dayton, O., is the guest of Rev. W. R. Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Younce, of Troy, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Herman, of 123 south Jackson street.

Mr. W. F. Westerfield, of Elida, was in the city today, on business.

Miss Ethel Snyder and Miss Addie Kemper of Bellefontaine, O., are visiting Josephine Snyder, on Frank street.

J. B. Lomison is seriously ill at his home on south Main street.

Mrs. Edna Francis left last night for Chicago, en route to visit her sister, Mrs. William O. McBride, at Joliet, Ill., a few days.

Miss Dora DuFresne returned home after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stalkamp and Miss Mary Lange, of Delphos, O.

Mrs. Theo. Michael was called to Dayton, O., yesterday on account of the death of her uncle, Mr. Simons.

Mrs. Wm. Lichtenstader, accompanied by Mrs. Schwinz, are in Chicago on business.

Prof. H. B. Adams, of north Jameson avenue, was in Toledo, O., last night to hear the great Russian pianist Shevina, at the Colliwood and was delighted with his music.

Mr. O. A. Urbom went to Toledo on business today, accompanied by Mrs. Urbom who will be the guest of honor at a luncheon given by a friend.

Dr. J. E. Evans left this morning for Columbus to attend the State Dental Convention.

Mrs. C. Copeland and daughter, Blanche, left yesterday morning for Montgomery, Ala., to visit relatives.

It is the best safeguard against indigestion, biliousness and dyspepsia, known to mankind. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. H. F. Vorkamp.

THE IDLER.

"Squire M. L. Becker, who suffered a serious heart attack two nights ago, has almost fully recovered and was down at his office this morning for the first time this week."

Miss Kathryn O'Leary is spending a few days in Chicago.

CORN CROP RECORDS

Broken by the Industrious Farmers of the Buckeye State

IN YIELD PER ACRE

At Present Rate He Need Have No Fear of Wall Street or Politics.

By Associated Press.

Columbus, Dec. 5.—The state crop report for December, issued today shows that the corn crop for 1906 established a new record so far as yield per acre is concerned. The area planted was 2,892,869 acres. The total yield was 125,849,066 bushels, or 43.1 bushels per acre. As corn is selling today at about 45 cents a bushel and means that the average acre of Ohio land planted to corn this year produced gross for the farmer \$19.57. If the farmer can hold his corn till spring he will probably get a half a dollar or more a bushel, making his acre produce gross more than \$20.

Some idea of what the corn crop figures mean may be gained from the fact that it exceeds that of last year which was not bad, by 16,507,626 bushels.

The total yield of apples is placed at 76 per cent, which is pretty good for late years in Ohio.

Manzanilla Remedies put up in convenient, collapsible tubes with nozzle attachment so that the remedy may be applied at the very seat of bleeding, itching or protruding piles. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Sold by Vorkamp's drug store.

Don't worry about being smart. The people you agree with will think you are smart, no matter how stupid you are, and those you do not agree with think you are dumb, no matter how brilliant you may be.

Pine Salve Carbolic, acts like a poultice; highly antiseptic, extensively used for Eczema, for chapped hands and lips, burns, burns. Sold by Vorkamp's drug store.

Dad's Little Liver Pills thoroughly clean the system good for lazy livers, makes clear complexion, bright eyes and happy thoughts. Sold by Vorkamp's drug store.

They make a good deal of fuss about it, but so thoroughly are all details embellished, that there is a suspicion that women find certain enjoyment in describing a funeral.

After a heavy meal, take a couple of Doan's Regulators and give your stomach, liver and bowels the help they will need. Regulators bring easy, regular passages on the bowels.

SMALL RANGE

Confined the Opening
Prices Today.

Dealings at the Start Were
Small and the Tone
Was Irregular.

NOT MUCH ACTIVITY

New York Central, National
Biscuit and North American
Advance.

Quotations on Live Stock,
Grain, Produce and
Provision.

New York, Dec. 5.—Prices moved within a narrow range in the open dealings which were small and did not reflect active speculative interest. The tone was irregular. New York Central advanced 1-16 and National Biscuit and North American large fractions. Colorado and Southern first pfd fell 1-16.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Wheat today opened firm on fair buying, based upon generally unfavorable weather throughout the west and northwest, which is expected to interfere with the movement of the crop to market. Cables were firmer but this was offset by the weather conditions. May wheat opened 1/4 to 1/2 higher at 1.58 to 1.78, sold at 1.73 to 1.80, and advanced to 1.78.

On good demand by commission houses May corn opened higher at 42 1/2 to 43 1/2.

Chiefly because of weather conditions May oats opened higher at 35 1/2. January provisions opened firm. Pork at 14.85; lard 8.50; ribs at \$8.45; beef at \$8.20 to \$8.40.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Cattle estimated receipts 24,000; market steady. Beeves \$4.00 to \$4.20; cows and heifers \$3.00 to \$3.50; stockers and feeders \$2.40 to \$2.60; westerns \$3.90 to \$4.00; calves \$5.00 to \$5.70.

Hogs estimated receipts 3,000; market steady. Mixed and butchers \$6.50 to \$7.40; good heavy \$6.40 to \$6.35; rough heavy \$6.25 to \$6.15; light \$6.25 to \$6.40; bulk of sales \$6.20 to \$6.40.

Sheep estimated receipts 23,000; market steady. Sheep \$2.95 to \$3.00; lambs, \$4.50 to \$7.75.

My heart and hand another claimed. His plea had come too late. It's ever thus with people without pluck and vim. Take Rocky Mountain Tea, don't get left again. H. F. Vorkamp.

RICH ON LITTLE.

Utopian Conditions in Little Swiss Village—Co-Operative Farming.

London Cable New York Sun.

A correspondent has discovered a modern Utopia, where the fortunate natives are so rich that they sometimes do not know what to do with their wealth. Yet many of them live sumptuously on about \$40 a year. The happy place is a little village of Marchesi, at the foot of the Jura mountains in Switzerland.

The village numbers about 150. A majority of them own their own houses and farms. They do not pay any local rates or taxes. In addition to what their farms produce the villagers receive free food, cheese, milk and butter, and sometimes meat and wine, which are practically forced upon them.

The explanation of this condition of affairs is that the village community by wise investment and shrewd business methods has acquired the ownership of large tracts of tilled land, forests, herds of cattle and hogs and flocks of poultry. The produce, after being carefully weighed and checked, is apportioned by the elected authorities of the village conveyed to the doors of the villagers, who thereafter have the disposal of their respective shares.

Most of the hard work on the farms and fields is done by paid outsiders, who, although they get fair terms, do not share in the utopian conditions of their employers.

Occasionally there is a woman who will not come right out and say a man proposed to her, but will modestly say: "He would have proposed if I had let him."

Mrs. Austin's Quick-Raising Broom wheat makes tender, crispy, brown cakes. Your grocer can tell you all about it.

A woman was walking on the street today, and we heard her say, "I just can't bear rubbers." Just then her foot slipped from under her and down she went.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS.

The Dignity and Sacredness of Motherhood.

Think of the greatest man who has ever lived upon this earth, and then think of him as he lay, an infant, in his mother's arms. Does it seem possible that he should have grown, become great in the world's esteem and perhaps had monuments erected to perpetuate his memory, and yet that the world should have forgotten even the name of the woman who bore him? The son's work is the mother's primary and therefore, the recognition of the dignity and tender sacredness of motherhood should no longer be delayed. It is high time that this country's greatest treasures—THE WOMEN WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED LARGELY TO MAKE IT WHAT IT IS—should be recognized.

Why should not these good mothers be given the right to vote and have a voice in our government—a right that is accorded to some of the most ignorant, most insignificant and vilest of men?

It has been well said that "for every monument to a great man there should be a monument to his mother and the mother's monument should be built first."

But it is not so much the purpose of this brief article to advocate the just rights and privileges due to the women of this country, although it has afforded the writer great pleasure to pen the foregoing brief tribute to their worth and just deserts, as it is to call attention to the fact that when broken down in health and strength by over-work, the too frequent bearing of children, the never ending toil, worry and care of the household, or by whatever may overtax the strength and delicacy of her sensitive system, there is one, tried and proven, safe remedy upon which she may rely to regain health, strength and the power to fully enjoy life.

That remedy is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription—a remedy made wholly from the roots of native forest plants which have been proven to be most efficacious, reliable and safe in the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses, periodic pains, irregularities, wasting and weakening catarrhal, pelvic drains and kindred ailments. It is a remedy, the makers of which print its formula on every bottle wrapper and attest its completeness and correctness under oath, a remedy devised and adapted to woman's delicate constitution by an educated physician—an experienced specialist in woman's diseases; a remedy, every ingredient of which has received the written endorsement of all the most eminent medical authorities of the world; a remedy, for the cure of woman's peculiar diseases, a remedy which has more bona-fide cures to its credit than any other sold by druggists; a remedy whose special requirements are the only one which contains no alcohol in its make up.

Delicate, weak, nervous women should especially shun the use of alcoholic medicines which, from their stimulating and exhilarating effects may seem, for a time, to do good, but which, from the inevitable effects of the alcohol in breaking up the red corpuscles of the blood, are sure to do great and lasting harm in the long run. Besides they beget a craving for stimulants which is most deplorable. "Favorite Prescription" is the one remedy for woman's ills which contains no alcohol.

Only invigorating and nerve strengthening effects can follow the use of this famous medicine for women. It can not possibly do harm in any state or condition of the system.

If a woman has bearing down, or dragging pains, low down in the abdomen, or palms, "backache, frequent

headaches, dizzy or fainting spells, is nervous and easily startled, has gnawing feeling in stomach, sees imaginary floating specks, or spots before her eyes, has melancholia, or "blues," or a weakening disagreeable, catarrhal drain from pelvic organs, she can make no mistake by resorting to the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It will invigorate and tone up the whole system and especially the pelvic organs.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a scientific medicine, carefully devised by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to woman's delicate system. Being made of native American medicinal roots, and without alcohol, it is perfectly harmless to the system in any condition of the female system.

As a powerful invigorating tonic, "Favorite Prescription" imparts lasting strength to the whole system and to the organs distinctly feminine in particular. For over-worked, "worn-out," run-down, debilitated teachers, milliners, dressmakers, seamstresses, "shop-girls," house-keepers, or mothers, and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon, being unequalled as an appetizing cordial and restorative tonic.

As a soothing and strengthening nerve, "Favorite Prescription" is unequalled and is invaluable in allaying and subduing nervous excitability, irritability, nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, neuralgia, hysteria, spasms, St. Vitus's dance, and other distressing nervous symptoms commonly attendant upon functional and organic diseases of the nervously system. It induces refreshing sleep and relieves mental anxiety and despondency.

No woman suffering from any of the above symptoms can afford to accept any secret nostrum or medicine of unknown composition, as a substitute for a medicine like Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which is of proven composition and has a record of over forty years of cures and sells more largely to-day than ever before. Its makers withhold no secrets from their patients, believing open publicity to be the very best guaranty of merit.

Dr. Pierce invites all suffering women to consult him by letter free of charge. All letters of consultation are held as strictly private and sacredly confidential and all answers are returned in plain, sealed envelopes. Address: Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

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A Dollar a Week Pays Any Loan Under \$50.00.

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LIMA CHATTEL LOAN CO.,

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ONE KIND OF LOVE LETTERS.

Chester Gillette is on trial at Herkimer, New York, for the murder of his sweetheart, Grace Brown, and the trial is attracting particular attention because of the womanliness and popularity of the dead girl, and the contemptible character of the man who had promised to marry her.

Gillette went to a quiet hotel near Herkimer, and engaged board for his "wife." The second day he took her out on the lake, and neither ever came back. Her body was found later, and Gillette was captured many miles away.

There are love letters and love letters, and the kind usually read in court cause roars of laughter, and the people get disgusted, but those written by Grace Brown, and which were read in court, caused tears, and it was necessary to form a guard around the prisoner to keep angry hands off him.

In these letters the girl set down all her fears, dread and anguish. They were womanly, simple, but eloquent letters. Day after day the pretty little girl stood by her letters for Gillette to plead in her in trouble, and when his replies seemed cold and unanswering, she would appeal to his manhood, chiding him, only to ask his pardon in the next sentence.

The big eastern papers with Reform as a mania, should get hold of the letters and publish them. There is a warning in them; a danger sign. Perhaps some girl who is making a mistake might read them.—Aitchison Globe

Following the Flag.

When our soldiers went to Cuba and the Philippines, health was the most important consideration. Willis T. Morgan, retired commissary sergeant U. S. A., of Rural Route 1, Concord, N. H., says: "I was two years in Cuba and two years in the Philippines, and being subject to colds, I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which kept me in perfect health. And now, in New Hampshire, we find it the best medicine in the world for coughs, colds, bronchial troubles and all lung diseases. Guaranteed at H. F. Vorkamp's drugstore. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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Long, long before the Beginning was Before with-Lullah or woman-Eve A mother gave to the world two sons: And slowly the Fates began to weave.

Blue veins, blue eyes that were depths of Heaven, And hair of glorious gold above Red, smiling lips that foretold all joy The mother murmured, "His name is love."

The mother looked on her second born, And "Ah," she whispered, "must this thing be?"

His eyes were gray as the depth of dreams "His name is Pain," she said wearily.

And later, when that the time was come For life's beginning, and men were made, She led the two into light of day "So choose your different paths," she said.

But Pain stepped close to his brother's side, A shade had fallen across the sun The blue eyes looked into those of gray, And Love said softly, "Our ways are one."

—Chicago Tribune.

AT LAFAYETTE

Funeral of Stone Quarry Victim Will be Held.

The funeral of Albert Ferguson, the youth who met death in a stone quarry yesterday afternoon, will be held tomorrow afternoon. The cortege will leave the home of the bereaved parents, on east North street, at 1 o'clock and the services will be held in the Christian church at Lafayette. Rev. Mr. Garner officiating. Interment will be made in the Lafayette cemetery.

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the doctor.



section 12, about 100 barrels. Same
company's No. 7 P. E. Chrysler farm,
section 13, pumped 75 barrels.

Illinois Pickups.
The test well drilling on the John
C. Kraus farm, southeast from Ste.
Marie, in Jasper county, is down about
1,100 feet without any indications of
oil, and the owners drill to the depth
of 1,500 feet unless oil is found in pay-
ing quantities before that depth is
reached. Another well is drilling on
the Bohannon farm, half a mile north
of West Liberty, in the same county,
and another on the person farm, about
3 miles east of Yale, in the same coun-
ty.

The test well drilling on Crawfish
creek, near Mt. Carmel, in Wabash
county, and near the Wabash river,
and northwest of the Princeton field,
and about 30 miles south of the Bridge-
port field, struck a lake of salt water
at a depth of 1,250 feet, and the own-
ers partly came to the conclusion of
abandoning it, but it has been decid-
ed to give a more thorough test and
will drill to a depth of 1,500 feet, and
they expect to encounter the deep
sand same as was found southeast
from Bridgeport.

E. T. Punell has adjusted his lease
with the Bigelows in the Westfield
field, in Clarke county, and has con-
tracted for several more wells to be
drilled on the tract. The test well one
half a mile east of Westfield on the
A. C. Russell farm, shows for a light
pumper. In this test a fine vein of coal
was struck at 400 feet, which had a
splendid slate roof. Another well will
be drilled on the farm.

Jennings Bros. have leased the T.
C. Hardin 60-acre farm, near Hardins-
ville, in Martin township, Crawford
county, at \$50 per acre bonus. They
have secured leases on the Savilla
Shipman 200-acre farm, and the Geo.
Price 80-acres at the same price per
acre bonus. Mrs. Mary Cox has leased
her 60 acres in the same vicinity to
E. M. Treat and others at a bonus of
\$50 per acre.

The test well on the Dr. Cullop
farm, in York township, Darke county,
and near the Wabash river has been
drilled into a heavy dose of salt water
and has been abandoned as worthless.

Curious Effects of Sudden Wealth.
In West Virginia many persons have
suddenly become well to do through
the finding of oil on their barren farm
land. The effect of wealth on these
newly rich ones have been curious.

One old section hand living near
Manning, owned a little house and
very small plot of ground. A firm of
drillers made the customary bargain
with him and planted their derrick
right alongside his house.

They struck oil and they struck it
rich. The well developed an output of
about 200 barrels a day. The old sec-
tion hand's share amounted to some-
thing like \$37.50 a day. This is not so
bad for a man who never earned
more than \$1.25 a day in his life.

He threw up his job on the railroad,
and now he just sits on his porch day
in and day out and watches the slow
movements of the great wooden walk-
ing beam of the pump that is drawing
oil from nature's wealth a sum
each day totally beyond his capacity to
spend. At this time of life there is
little likelihood of his acquiring new
tastes that would make his money of
use.

An old farmer living near Volcano,
on the Parkersburg branch of the Bal-
timore and Ohio, had a few acres of
barren land, and he willingly allowed
some prospectors to put down a well
on his property. A gusher was struck,
and the farmer's share of the oil soon
amounted to \$2,000 which sum all in
cash was turned over to him.

A dollar in cash had been an un-
usual sum for him to have at one
time, and the sudden possession of so
much money filled him with a desire
to spend some of it. He donned his
best suit of jeans and took the next
morning's accommodation train for
Parkersburg.

After wandering about that city all
day, looking for a suitable investment,
he finally paid \$1,500 for a finely bred
bull. There was just about as much
use on his farm for a bull as there
would be in the proverbial china shop.
The sterile soil of his farm did not
produce enough blades of grass to fur-
nish the bull with one good feed, and
the farmer had no other food fit for
his purchase.

When asked why his neighbors why
in the world he had made such a use
of his money he simply replied:
"Well, I had to spend the money
somehow."

At the bottom of a piece of farm
land on the side of a mountain lived
a snake hunter, as the West Virginian
mountain hunter is nicknamed, in a
little log hut. The daily fare of this
man and his family had never been
anything other than the far-famed

corn bread and sow belly." In sum-
mer he went barefooted while heavy
raw hide boots covered his feet when
cold weather came.

Oil was struck on his farm in such
quantities that the farmer's share
promised soon to make him the wealth-
iest man for miles around. As soon
as the first installment of cash was
paid over to him he was seized with a
desire to spend. He made arrange-
ments to pay the town a visit.

Using shank's mare, his sole means
of conveyance by the way, he took a
short cut across the mountains until
he reached the small railroad town
that meant metropolis to him, and the
first thing he sought was a pair of
patent leather shoes!

Perhaps the best example of all the
embarrassment caused these folk by
the sudden acquisition of wealth was
the case of a family of mountaineers
back in Calhoun county. This family
consisted of father, mother and four
grown sons. Every member of the
household was over six feet in height
and large and strong in proportion.

The mother was a vigorous old wo-
man, almost as powerful as any of the
rest of the family, and upon her de-
volved not only all the household bur-
dens, but the work of shopping all the
wood as well. This latter duty is not
a light task by any means.

The father and his sons were good
examples of the West Virginia seng-
diggers—that is, diggers of ginseng
roots. Between times they would
hunt with rifles 60 years old, with ear-
rels six feet in length, with which all
of them were dead shots; any one of
the men could easily knock out the
eye of a squirrel at the top of the
highest tree.

But very little work of any kind did
the condescend to do, and year after
year they spent their time thus liv-
ing in their old log house of one room
without seeing \$10 in cash from one
year's end to the other.

Then wealth came.
Prospectors traced oil until it led to
the neighborhood of the old log house,
and a well was driven on the place,
upon the usual terms. A gusher re-
sulted, and when the money for the
first month's output was placed in the
hands of the father the very first
thing he and the boys thought of was
that something must be done for
"Mother."

So, after a long consultation, they
finally decided to buy her a new ax.
But there are a few cases of hard
luck amid this good fortune. One of
these fell to the lot of some railroad
engineers the other day.

Fifty of the Baltimore and Ohio
railroad engineers on the fifth division,
which runs through the oil country
from Grafton to Parkersburg, formed
a pool, into which each paid a certain
sum, and sent out a crew to prospect
for oil.

Several wells were sunk but no oil
came to the surface. It is true that
one of the wells developed into a
"gasser"—that is, natural gas poured
forth with a roar that could be heard
a mile away, wasting daily enough gas
to illuminate a small village at the
same time furnish heat sufficient to do
the cooking for all its inhabitants—a
well which, if placed within the lim-
its of a town, would be worth a for-
tune to its owner, but down in that
country of little value.

Discouraged, thirty of the fifty en-
gineers dropped out of the pool. They
thought it would be too much like
sending good money after bad to con-
tinue. The other 20 men resolved to
give it one more trial and the very
next well, finished two or three weeks
ago, proved to be a bonanza yielding
over 300 barrels a day.

Deadly Serpant Bites
are as common in India as are stomach
and liver disorders with us. For the
latter however there is a sure remedy:
Electric Bitters; the great restorative
medicine, of which S. A. Brown, of
Bennettsville, S. C., says: "They re-
stored my wife to perfect health, after
years of suffering with dyspepsia and
a chronically torpid liver." Electric
Bitters cure chills and fever, malaria,
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and bladder disorders. Sold on guar-
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Diggs—No. I never patronize any-
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pels Coughs and Colds by gently mov-
ing the bowels. Guaranteed. Sold by
Vorkamp's drug store.

EVER NOTICE IT.
"The reign of a prize fighter is
usually brief," remarked the sporty
gent.

"Most soaking rains are," rejoined
the casual observer.

POPULAR AIR.
First Youth—"I pulled the gover-
nor's leg to the tune of \$100 this
morning."

Second Youth—"Good! By the way,
would you mind teaching me the
tune?"

CASTORIA.
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Signature of
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GEORGE ADE'S DREAM.

I had read a POSTUM CEREAL
in a ten-cent magazine
And when I sought my OSTERMOOR
My rest was not serene;
For just as I had closed my eyes
In most uneasy slumber
The MUNYON remedies gathered
'round

And each one called his number
I stretched my GOODYEAR RUBBER
neck

To watch these imps at play
When Mr. Alton loudly said
We are THE ONLY WAY.
I threw my REGAL shoes at him
For I was getting sore.

WHEN 57 KINDS OF pickles
Came walking through the door.
HYDROX! KABO! OXYDONOR!
MADAME YALE'S COLD CREAM

Each threw a big WHITE ROCK at me
When I had this awful dream.
A ghost-like LILLIAN RUSSELL sang
At a CABLE GRAND PIANO

Like Henry George "I AM
FOR MEN"

5 cents & Pure Havana.
Behind SIX LITTLE TAILORS talked
TO BUSTER BROWN'S poor mother,
A WIGGLESTICK was in one hand

And a KODAK in the other.
And then I saw my dear PEARLINE,
She looked so very sweet,
She was the cream of all the lot.

A regular CREAM OF WHEAT.
I said UNBDA PRUDENTIAL man
THE OLDEST AND THE BEST,
And if you press the button

I will try to do the rest,
WILLIAM L. DOUGLAS! LYDIA
PINKHAM!

No one ought to blame us
For ordering up a round of that
WHICH MADE MILWAUKEE FAM-
OUS!

A girl named COCA-COLA rode
A standard OLDSMOBILE,
She drank a glass of tangle-foot
And had a CHAINLESS WHEEL.

I noticed her WOODBURY'S FACIAL
expression
And her RUBIFOAM smile demure,
So I knew that she CONTAINED NO

ALUM
But was ABSOLUTELY PURE.
OH, LISTERINE! OH LISTERINE!
Come NESTLE once again.

We'll make NEW YORK in EIGH-
TEEN HOURS
On the TWENTIETH CENTURY
TRAIN.

She couldn't see where I came in—
Not even a little bit.
For when I said, "Shall we be wed?"
She answered "Oh, SHAW-KNIT."

SOZODONT! SAPOLIO!
They all came in to call;
I said my name WAS WILSON.
And they answered back "THAT'S

ALL."
"I WISH MY MAMA USED WOOL-
SOAP!"
A MELLIN'S INFANT said;
We gave it CURTURA

And a loaf of QUAKER BREAD.
Then the team of LAARS and BEBOH-
AM
Played on the CASCARETS.

While waiters served OMEGA OIL
AND MOGUL CIGARETTES.
The GOLD-DUST TWINS did all the
work

And sang, "DON'T BE A CLAM."
CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.

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FURLESS VARIETY.
"George," said the wife of a base-
ball player, "I think you should spare
me at least two muffs this winter. I
want a change, you know."

"Muffs?" echoed her husband in as-
tonishment. "Why, I haven't any
muffs!"

"No muffs? Why, where are all
those papers said you made dur-
ing the summer?"—Houston Post.

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Skin Eruptions, Cuts
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a pleasure, but a duty. I feel that
others may be looking in vain for a
cure from some annoying skin trou-
ble just as I was before I learned of
Doan's Ointment. I got it in 1895 at
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skin disease, which caused an erup-
tion all over my face. It healed the
sores, and in a short time the trouble
disappeared. I recommended
Doan's Ointment in the local papers
at that time, and it is a real pleas-
ure to do so again."

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MRS. SAGE'S INTENTIONS.

All a Mistake About Her Desire to
Scatter Millions.

(New York World.)

One of the New York morning pa-
pers published what purported to be
an interview with Mrs. Russell Sage
the other morning, wherein she was
represented as saying that she intend-
ed to give away all of the \$36,000,000
left by the late Russell Sage to worthy
and unobtrusive persons who need the
money.

The first train to Lawrence, L. I.,
carried an even dozen men and wo-
men, all worthy and unobtrusive, who
anxiously inquired of the depot master
the way to the Sage residence. An
hour later a dozen gloomy men and
women assembled upon the station
platform awaiting the first train for
New York. They unanimously agreed
that Mrs. Sage had been incorrectly
reported, for one and all had been
brusquely denied access to the widow
with millions at her disposal. They
had even been shooed off the grounds
by a milliana maid who weighed 200.

All day long men and women of the
shabby genteel sort in vain made Law-
rence the Mecca of their pilgrimage,
but some one had blundered. Some
one to whom Mrs. Sage had imparted
her confidences had repeated them to
a reporter, who had printed the con-
fidences in the shape of a chatty inter-
view, wherein Mrs. Sage was made to
say that she planned to give away all she
possessed save a few odd thousands to
provide for her declining years, to per-
sons whom she herself might ferret
out among the teeming millions of in-
digent throughout the land.

Among the early afternoon arrivals
was Colonel J. J. Slocum, a brother of
Mrs. Sage, who is one of her financial
advisers. There came also Dr. John
Bryson Delavan, Mrs. Sage's New
York physician. Mrs. Sage's resi-
dence was at once declared in a state
of siege. No person was permitted to
get nearer than the top step of the
porch to the venerable mistress of the
place. Some ludicrous scenes occur-
red. One elderly woman, well known
in New York's most exclusive set,
drove to the door and handed her card
to the buxom servant woman on guard
at the portal. The maid scrutinized the
pasteboard and pursed up her lips.

"Mrs. Sage ain't givin' away any
money," said she. It's all a mistake.
She hasn't a penny to give away."

"Not much," returned the guardian
of the door. "They e coming to beg
in all sorts of ways, and I'll not carry
any cards to the missus."

And she maintained her position, in
spite of the wrath of the visitor, who
was finally constrained to depart filled
with dismay and wonder.

There called also the president of a
great college, who thought that his dig-
nity and the eminence of his office
might surely carry him safely past but-
lers and door maids. He had read an
account of what Mrs. Sage proposed to
do with her millions, and he thought
that his experience and the needs of
his institution of learning would ap-
peal to the generous prospective
donor. But he found out that even col-
lege presidents command no respect
at the Sage villa.

Dr. Delavan, in his residence, 1
East Thirty-third street, said yester-
day afternoon:

"I have consulted Mrs. Sage, and
she informs me that she was not cor-
rectly reported; that the story was un-
authorized, misleading and an absolute
misrepresentation of her intentions.
What her intentions may be no one is
authorized to say. Mrs. Sage will not
make any statement and will not con-
sent to be interviewed."

Mrs. Sage had a horror of suppli-
cants of every degree, from the col-
lege president to the veriest mend-



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RECIPE
Glazed Buns
1 cake of compressed yeast, .25
1 cup of cold water, .25
1/2 cup of Van Camp's Sterilized Cream, .25
1/2 cup of warm water, .25
1/2 cup of sugar, .25
1/2 cup of salt, .25
1/2 cup of butter, .25
1/2 cup of shortening, .25
1/2 cup of milk, .25
1/2 cup of eggs, .25
1/2 cup of cornstarch, .25
1/2 cup of granulated sugar, .25

Cost .75
Soften the yeast cake in the
cold water, add to the cream and
stir in the first cup and a half of
four beat thoroughly, cover and
set aside to become light and
puffy. Add the sugar, butter, sugar, salt, cornstarch and enough flour to make a soft dough. Knead
until the dough is elastic, then cover and set aside to become doubled in bulk. Turn the dough on
to a floured board and put out into a sheet five-eighths of an inch thick, cut into rounds, set them in
a well-oiled pan and when light bake about twenty-five minutes. Drain the cornstarch with cold
water, pour over nearly a cup of boiling water, let it stand a few minutes, then let it simmer until the
buns are nearly baked; drain over with the starch, dredge with granulated sugar and return to the
oven. Repeat the use of the starch and sugar three or more times.

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